THE WEATHER

Rain tonight and probably Saturday: not much change in temperature.

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EBERT REPLIES HUNS TO DISARM

Complete Disarmament and Demobilization To Be Carried Out, Says President

Bernstorff Not Going to Conference—People's Army on Basis of Conscription

WEIMAR, Thursday, Feb. 13 (By the Associated Press).—Count von Bernstorff will not go to the peace conference as a German delegate; Germany plans for the time being at least a people's army on the basis of general conscription; Germany will announce within a few days her intention to carry out complete disarmament and demobilization and a commission made up of the centre, democratic and so-

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RAIN BREAKS OUR "DRY BONE" SPELL

Lowell has anticipated the solons in congress and has inaugurated her "dry" era several months before the time designated by that august body. But, unfortunately, she fell off the wagon today and is once more enveloped by the "wet" element.

The answer is that not a drop of rain fell in Lowell from Jan. 23 up until this morning or a period of 22 days, which is an unusual stretch for this time of the year. The drouth was interrupted a little on Jan. 28 when there was a measly snow storm, but there has not been an out and out rain storm since Jan. 23.

The unusually excellent weather which has been enjoyed all winter is typified by these facts. This morning, however, the city's thirst got the better of her and there was a fairly constant drizzle all forenoon.

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As well as a general Spring medicine for catarrh, rheumatism, dyspepsia, Hood's Sarsaparilla is of great value to men, women, children.

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AGREE ON 13th, WILSON'S DAY

Final Draft of the Society of Nations Was Adopted Yesterday

Today's Session One of Most Important in History—International Army Beaten

PARIS, Feb. 14. (By the Associated Press.)—The plenary session of the peace conference to be held in the famous clock room of the foreign office this afternoon may mark the conclusion of the first and possibly the most important phase of the world's greatest international gathering. Subjects of great import are still to come before subsequent meetings, but in the opinion of qualified students of the history of other conferences, the adjournment of today's session may reveal that the foundation for the settlement of all questions that will follow has been laid.

The view taken by many delegates early in the conference was that nearly every important subject to be ad-

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DR. RODGER APPOINTED BACTERIOLOGIST

Dr. James N. Rodger was today appointed bacteriologist for the city of Lowell by Mayor Perry D. Thompson, the appointment to take effect at once.

Dr. Rodger succeeds Dr. Marshall L. Alling, who left the position last spring to enter the national service. In the interim, Dr. T. B. Smith has been performing the duties of the office temporarily. The new bacteriologist has just returned from France where he served as a lieutenant in the medical corps of the 26th division. He saw considerable experience "over there." Previously, he had specialized in bacteriology and has been deeply interested in it since his return from the front. He was endorsed by the state board of health for the position and his name was taken from the civil service list.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN

Charles H. Ball, a carpenter with a shop at 127 Market street and residing in Dracut, has reported to the police that his Ford touring car was stolen from the corner of Market and Palmer streets at about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Massachusetts registration on the car is 33653, while the maker's number is 2554283. On one side of the car are the initials, "M. E.B." and there is a new tire on the rear right wheel of the machine.

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Pres. Wilson Reads Covenant to Plenary Session of Peace Conference — Calls for Reduction of Armaments, Arbitration, International Court of Justice — Admit Only Self-Governing Countries

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

Locks and Canals Chief Engineer Recommends Release of Land on Common

Arthur T. Safford, chief engineer of the Locks and Canals, agreed this morning to recommend to the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals that they grant a release to the city of Lowell so that it may use certain land on the South common without restriction for the erection of an addition to the Edson school or an entirely new school.

The agreement was reached at a conference held in the office of City Solicitor William D. Regan. In addition to Messrs. Safford and Regan there were present William E. Bauger, assistant engineer of the Locks and Canals, Mayor Perry D. Thompson and Richard Brabrook Walsh, chairman of the school committee.

DISCHARGED FROM DEVENS

The following men were discharged from Camp Devens yesterday: William Raney, Alfred Gervais, Israel Massey, Joseph Dufour, William Wyman, Joseph Branconnier, Joseph Marcotte, Joseph Duguay and Richard Phillips.

J. M. WALTON

Interviewing Mr. Walton, at Dows' Drug Store, Merrimack Square, yesterday concerning Vitalitas, he had this to say: "It is certainly gratifying to me to hear so many nice things said about America's supreme remedy.

"Our sales now have gone well into the thousands and the best part of all is every customer is a booster."

Kindly note the names of a few Lowell people who say that Vitalitas has no equal. Ambrose Dansouse, 232 Cross Street, Mrs. William McGraw, 327 S. Broadway, Mrs. Seth Kimball, 22 Wedge Street, Miss A. Woollender, 15 Wilson Street, Chas. H. Luscomb, 121 Powell Street, Mrs. G. A. Heaps, 163 Congress Street, Thomas E. Prashee, 118 Walker Street, Mrs. Frank Trull, 10 Fifth Street, Henry H. Buck, 183 South Street, James Holden, 161 Appleton Street, and A. Barnes, 127 Fort Hill Ave.

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MRS. SKEELS OUT ON BAIL

Woman Charged With Murder Released on Account of Her Serious Illness

Permitted To Go to Home of Her Fiance—Trial Indefinitely Postponed

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Bessie May Skeels, who has been under arrest since last August, charged with the murder of Florence W. Gay, was released on $1000 bail today and permitted to go to the home of her fiance, Alfred J. Lundgren, in Andover. The necessary surety was furnished by Charles A. Salisbury, the county probation officer.

The release of Mrs. Skeels, which was said to be almost without precedent in this state was ordered by Chief Justice John A. Aiken of the superior court because of the woman's serious illness. At the same time officials announced that the trial, set for March 3, had been indefinitely postponed. The acceptance of the probation officer as surety was considered merely a formality.

Mrs. Skeels was employed as a nurse in the home of Miss Gay at Andover at the time of the latter's death from poison.

After her arrest, an indictment on a similar charge was found against Mrs Skeels in New Jersey, in connection with the death of a member of her family there.

NOTICE

LOCAL 104, M. P. of N. A.

There will be a special meeting this evening in the Trades and Labor Council hall on Central street at 8 o'clock. Business of importance.

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IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Woman Who Fell Down Flight of Stairs Now at Corporation Hospital

Mrs. Alma W. Fisher, an elderly lady residing at 173 School street, is in a serious condition at the Lowell Corporation hospital as a result of falling down a flight of stairs in the building known as the Keefe block at Broadway and School streets about 5.30 yesterday afternoon. Her left shoulder was dislocated by the fall and the hospital officials report that a hemorrhage has developed has developed. She was in very serious condition this afternoon.

As far as can be learned Mrs. Fisher was intending to visit a Mrs. Benton on the second floor of the place in question but did not see her. Whether she was attacked by illness or stumbled is not known, but she was found in the lower corridor of the building by a Mrs. Riley. The ambulance was summoned and the woman sent to the Corporation hospital.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus held a meeting last evening and discussed the annual charity ball. A committee of ten was appointed to look after arrangements and the date of the event will be announced later. In the course of the meeting it was announced that Dr. James J. Walsh, a speaker of wide reputation, will come to Lowell March 31 as the guest of the organization and will give a lecture on "Marshal Foch." The lecture will be public. Dr. Walsh is now on a tour of the country under the auspices of the national council of the K. of C.

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United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and Four Other States Executive Council

President of United States To Call First Meeting—League To Take Any Action Necessary To Safeguard Peace of Nations—No Secret Naval or Military Plans

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The executive council of the proposed league of nations, as outlined in the covenant read by President Wilson today, will consist of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, with representatives of four other states.

The council shall meet as often as is necessary, but at least once a year at whatever place may be designated. Any matter within the sphere of action of the league or affecting the peace of the world, will be dealt with.

PRES. WILSON TO CALL FIRST MEETING

The president of the United States is to summon the first meeting of the body of delegates and the executive council.

The league will have a secretariat under the direction of a secretary-general who shall appoint the other members. The secretary-general shall act in that capacity at all meetings.

The representatives of the high contracting parties and the officials of the league shall have diplomatic privileges and immunity. The buildings occupied by the league or its officials shall enjoy extra-territorial benefits.

ADMIT ONLY SELF GOVERNING COUNTRIES

The admission of states signatory to the covenant shall be with the assent of not less than two-thirds of the states represented in the body of delegates and shall be limited to fully self-governing countries.

No state shall be admitted unless it gives effective guarantees to observe international obligations and unless it shall conform to conditions prescribed by the league in regard to its naval and military forces and armament.

PROTECTION AGAINST AGGRESSION

The high contracting parties undertake to respect and preserve the

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"FALSE DEMOCRACY" IS SCORED BY LOWDEN

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois addressed the members of the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday afternoon. He was accompanied to the house chamber by Gov. Coolidge.

In praising Massachusetts for its democracy he condemned the "false democracy" which gives a "despotic majority" power to usurp the rights of the minority. He assailed the "democracy brought from Russia" and said our soldiers will "fight the mob" as truly as they fought against Germany. Gov. Lowden complimented the legislature on the spirit of co-operation among the two branches.

The house voted to refer to the next legislature the petition of Franklin F. Roundy for an investigation by the public service commission as to the neglect of the Boston Elevated Railway Co. to comply with the order of the commission to extend its tracks in Broadway, formerly Pleasant street, in Boston. Similar action was taken on the petition of Francis J. W. Ford for an investigation of the coal business in Boston.

Palestine Resolution

Without debate or opposition, the house adopted the resolutions in favor of the Jewish state in Palestine and for an appropriation by congress for six months' additional salary for soldiers discharged from service.

John B. Hudson petitioned that cities and towns be authorized to appropriate money for additional compensation for their citizens who served in the European war.

Committee reports:

Military affairs—Bill to advance the rank of James P. Clare from major to colonel; advancing the rank of the adjutant general from lieutenant colonel to that of brigadier general; resolution favoring an early discharge from the United States army of all soldiers, except those in the regular army, who desire to be discharged; bill to allow four cents a mill each way for travel by members of the militia by the most direct route of railroad transportation; an appropriation of $2143 to the New Haven railroad for transportation of men of the Massachusetts state guard to encampments in 1915.

Insurance — Bill to provide that agents or brokers who make contracts of insurance shall be regarded as agents of the company, no matter what is said in the contract or policy.

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SCHOOL BOARD GRANTS SALARY INCREASES

More increases in salaries were granted by the school committee to a number of school officials at a meeting of the committee late yesterday afternoon. Those affected and the salary which they will receive under the new schedule are as follows:

Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent, $3850; Herbert D. Bixby, headmaster of the high school, $3300; William F. Thornton, head attendance officer, $2000; John J. Walker, attendance officer, $1540; Camilo Roussin, attendance officer, $1430; Henry L. Williams, attendance officer and supply agent, $2000; Frederick Johnson, clerk in the supply department, $1087; Fannie A. Thompson, clerk in the superintendent's office, $1100.

The increases were voted unanimously. Dr. William R. Thompson, although not present at the meeting, requested that he be recorded as voting in the affrmative.

It was voted to continue the Americanization classes in the schools during the week of Feb. 24 despite the fact that the regular evening school classes will enjoy a vacation during that week.

Instructions were issued to the superintendent to advertise a hearing to be given residents of the Highlands Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, at 8 o'clock, as a result of their petitions for a new school house.

Resignations of the following teachers were accepted and a vote of thanks for faithful service extended: James F. Peebles, vocational school; Agnes Bailey, Varnum school; Mrs. Susan Griffin O'Brien, Washington school; Mrs. Frances Noonan McKinley, Moody school.

THE VALENTINE CLUB

The Valentine club held forth at Lincoln hall last evening in its annual social and dance and over 200 couples were on hand to share in the festivities. A feature of the event was the prize waltz, in which a cash prize was the award. It was won by Frank McGlinchey and Miss Hazel Miner. The judges were Patrick Daly and Frank McLaughlin.

The officers of the dance were: General manager, Robert Cassidy; assistant, Jack Gleason; floor director, Thomas Carmody; assistant, Patrick Conway; chief aid, Joseph Carmody, and treasurer, Joseph Markham. Markham's orchestra furnished the dance music for the evening.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Take the kiddies down to the Keith theatre Saturday afternoon and give them the chance to ride the Shetland ponies there. The ponies are pretty and tractable and every child who presents himself after the performance will be given the opportunity to see how it seems to be on the back of the little horses. This act is one of surprising beauty, and not only are there five ponies in it, but also there are terriers who do a circus stunt of much merit, which provides a grandstand finish to the act. A monkey and a collie dog are also used to advantage.

The bill as a whole has many likeable features. "Morning Glory," a very attractive little comedy, is presented by Noel Travers and Irene Douglas. They are players who have come from the legitimate stage and their efforts are, therefore, all the more those of seasoned performers. The little play has many good points. A coherent story is told and there is good comedy sitting in, now and then.

Frank Orth and Anne Cody offer the skit called "Let's Take a Walk." It is an old idea brought up to date and made thoroughly amusing. There have been many entertainers who employed this medium of funmaking, but few of them have done so with so great a measure of success.

The Three Tivoli Girls are singers, who array themselves in the costumes of Italy. (Two of them are Italians.) They give a variety of good numbers. Fred Allen is trying to get along. He invites applause at every turn, and gets a lot of it. Fred is funny to look at, and he is funny to see in action. Rolland and Ray talk and dance, and Claire and Atwood are acrobatic funmakers.

A film play with lots of comedy touches, and the Pathe News Pictorial are also to be found on the bill. All in all it is a well balanced show.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Mystery and suspense are two of the greatest elements in "The Unknown Voice," which is being presented this week at the Lowell Opera House by the Emerson All Star Players. Seldom does a play move through three acts before the audience is "let in on" the solution to a murder mystery. During the progress of the piece the finger of suspicion points to many of the characters, and one is in a quandary as to who is the guilty person. You eventually find out, but not until the very close of the last act. See it and enjoy it. Next week "The Wife He Bought," a story of a girl who was sold to save her father, will be presented.

THE STRAND

"For Freedom," the latest screen feature in which William Farnum is appearing at the Strand, touches on the great war, but is based more on the miscarriage of justice and the right of a convict to a "square deal." The story is that of a man falsely accused and imprisoned, who at the outbreak of the war wins a parole that he may be permitted to fight for his country. How he makes good is told in a wonderfully interesting manner. "The Temple of Duck," in which Sessue Hayakawa, the great Japanese star, is featured, is another one of those superior kind of film offerings. It's one of this star's greatest picture efforts. The remainder of the bill is rounded out by a varied assortment of screen creations, including the Universal Weekly.

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Ribbed cotton, fleece lined, broken sizes. Regular price $1.75. Clearance Price..... $1.00

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All colors. Regular price $3.00 and $3.50. Clearance Price..... $2.50

MEN'S GRAY FLANNEL SHIRTS
All sizes. Regular price $3.00 and $3.50. Clearance Price..... $2.50

MEN'S SILK AND WOOL HOSE
In black and oxford. Regular price $1.50. Clearance Price, Pair $1.00

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All sizes. Regular price $3.00. Clearance Price $2.00

MEN'S BROWN KNIT ALL WOOL HOSE
Medium and heavy weight, in black, gray and heather. Regular price $1.50 and $1.75. Clearance Price, Pair..... $1.00

FAREWELL BANQUET

Overseer Clark Chrysler, the popular and efficient foreman of the loading department of the United States Cartridge Co., was given a farewell banquet at the Market street plant last evening, and a large gathering of friends and employes were on hand for the occasion. Supt. Gerald Cahill made a few brief remarks on the efficiency of the loading department under Mr. Chrysler's effective leadership, and this was followed by several pleasing selections by the Fixer's quartet. Dancing and games were a feature of the evening's festivities and Mr. Chrysler was given three cheers and a tiger after he had responded to his insistent admirers and in a few well chosen words paid a tribute to their loyalty and good fellowship during the time they had worked together in the interest of Uncle Sam. The success of the affair was due to the untiring efforts of the following committee: Mrs. Racheal Campbell, Miss Loretta Carney, Mrs. Charles N. Taylor, Clarence Kleare, Charles Taylor and John Pender.

MEN'S CLUB OF THE GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH HEAR JOHN F. SALMON

John F. Salmon, Knights of Columbus overseas secretary, spoke last evening before the Men's club of the Grace Universalist church, of his work among the soldiers in France. Always interesting, Secretary Salmon told an absorbing story of his adventures and kept the attention of his audience for more than an hour.

Supper was served at 6 o'clock, followed by a short business meeting and social hour. Mr. Salmon told of his experiences during air raids on Paris, when he was pitched through an open window by the explosion of a bomb.

After describing conditions at Bordeaux, one of the receiving points at which the American doughboys were pouring into France, he devoted the greater part of his talk to the scenes and experiences up at the front line trenches, the drive at the Meuse, St. Mihiel, Verdun and other places. He told of meeting several of the Lowell boys "over there." In closing he made a plea for the returning soldiers from over seas. The speaker told what pleasure it gave him while he was in Paris to be approached by another American and greeted, and what great disappointment it was to be passed up by those whom he knew were from this country. The same rule applies right here at home, he said. "Go out of your way occasionally to make the returning soldier feel that his efforts over there have been appreciated," said Mr. Salmon. "And if by chance he might overstep the bounds of propriety, forgive him. He's entitled to it."

Felton L. Moody, president of the club, and several of the members acted as a committee on arrangements.

UNIVERSAL CLUB DANCE

Hibernian hall was a bower of beauty last evening, the occasion being the third annual dance of the Universal club and nearly 200 couples turned out for the event. Broderick's orchestra furnished the music and an enjoyable time was had by all present. The officers of the dance were: General manager, Thomas Nevin; assistant, Daniel Kiley, floor director, Jack Gash; assistant, Daniel McNably and chief aid, Philip Farrell.

If you want quick returns try a classified ad in The Sun, Lowell's greatest newspaper.

S.T.C. CLUB DANCE

One of the most successful dancing parties of the year was held last evening by the S.T.C. club, the occasion being the first annual social and dance by this popular organization. St. Anne's parish house was the setting chosen for the festivities, and the large crowd tripped the light fantastic until a late hour, with Dunfey's novelty orchestra furnishing the music. The officers in charge were: General manager, William Heller; assistant general manager, Miss Clara Dainton; floor director, Miss Eleanor Pope, and chief aid, Miss Humphries.

LENOX ORCHESTRA DANCE

The Lenox orchestra of Boston held forth at Associate hall last evening, and as usual, a large crowd of merrymakers were on hand for the occasion. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

Had Nervous Indigestion

This Springfield Woman Found Speedy Relief When She Used the Tonic Treatment

There are more ways than one of wasting food. Sufferers from stomach trouble, such as dyspepsia and nervous indigestion, are food wasters as much as the housewife who throws away half-consumed portions of food. When the food is taken into the stomach and ferments, causing acute distress, that food is worse than wasted and it were better for the comfort of the victim if it hadn't been eaten.

The blood must be healthy if the processes of digestion are to take place naturally. Good blood carries the nourishment from the food to all parts of the body building up nerve and muscle. If the blood is thin and weak the nerves are starved and revolt. When the nerves of the stomach rebel the digestive processes are upset, gas forms, sleeplessness and weakness are almost a direct consequence and severe headaches occur frequently.

The value of building up the blood in cases of nervous indigestion is illustrated in the case of Mrs. S. Lewis of 160 College street, Springfield, Mass. She says:

"I had nervous indigestion for about four years. I first noticed that I was losing flesh and felt miserable much of the time. I had severe nervous spells. I suffered from pain after eating, especially in my left side. I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills recommended in the papers and gave them a trial. I noticed improvement while I was taking the first box and took four boxes altogether. I can truthfully say that the pills have certainly helped my stomach and that I feel better than I have in a long time and shall use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills whenever I need a tonic."

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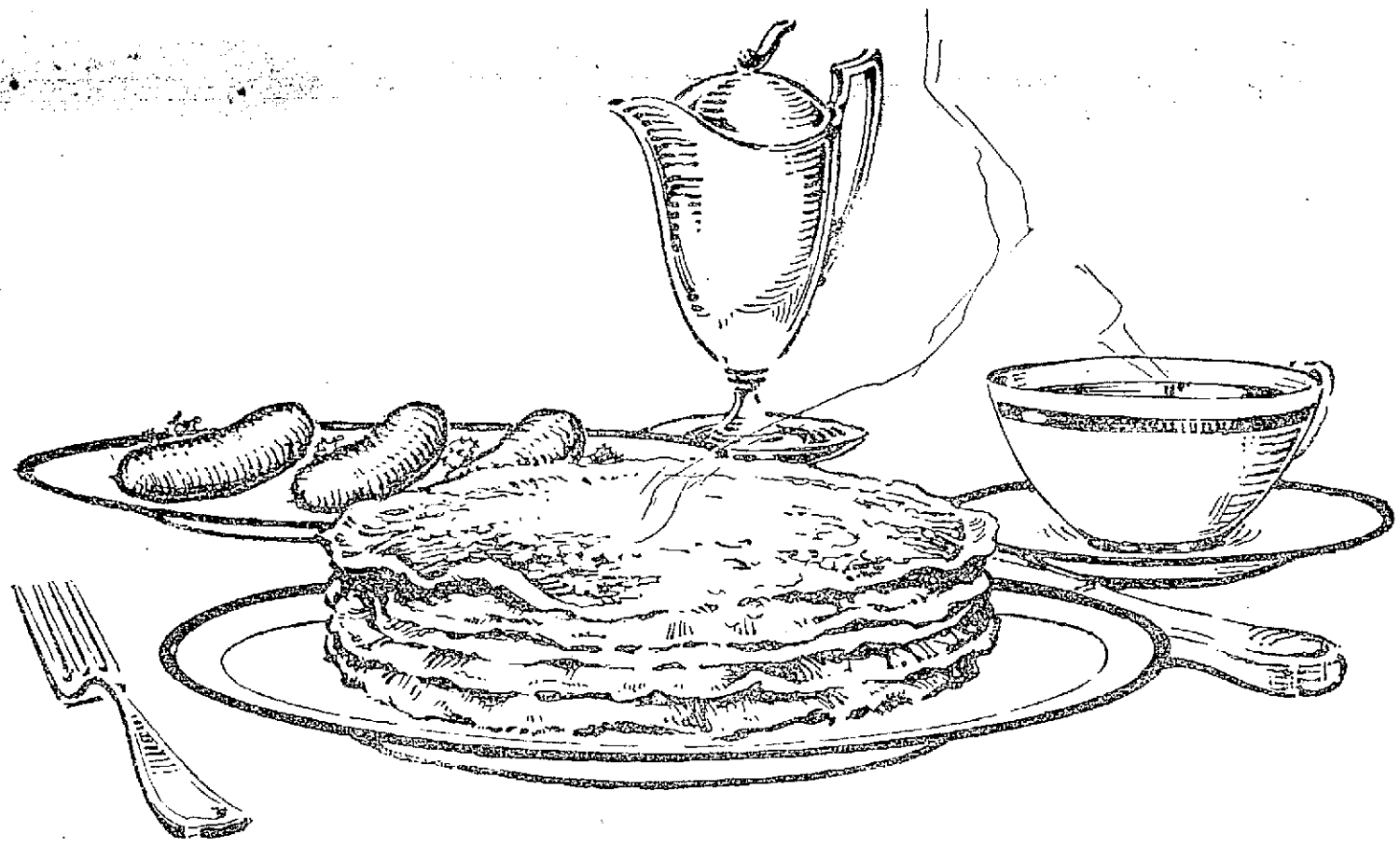
Two useful books, "Diseases of the Nervous System" and "What to Eat and How to Eat" will be sent free by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or you can order them direct by mail, postpaid, at 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50.—Adv.



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ARRESTED FOR MURDER OF BOSTON OFFICER

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—John Dilton was arrested in Somerville today charged with the murder of Charles E. Deininger, a Boston police officer, who was shot last night while endeavoring to arrest several alleged automobile thieves in Chelsea.

Patrolman Deininger of the Hanover st. police station was fatally shot, and John Donnelly, Spring ave., Revere, a sailor, was shot in the leg, in front of a garage at 14 Winthrop road, Chelsea, about 8 last evening, where Deininger in company with Reserve Officer William J. Shea, also of the Hanover street station, had gone in search of a light automobile alleged to have been stolen from Hanover street about 6 o'clock.

The shooting was done by a man wearing a fur coat, who had driven up to the garage in a big gray touring car containing two other men. Following the shooting this car sped away and the men escaped.

Late last night the police of Revere took into custody James Colonna, a chauffeur, as he pulled his automobile into a garage in that city. It is alleged he drove three men in his car from Bowdoin square earlier in the evening and the police say his car corresponds with the description furnished them of the car that contained the gunmen.

Found Stolen Auto

Deininger had been a member of the Boston police department for about 16 years, nearly all of which time he was connected with the Hanover street station. He had previously been a Boston fireman. He was one of the best-liked men at the station and frequently had been called upon to perform special work. His home was at 99 Amherst street, Roslindale.

Deininger and Shea were directed to go to Chelsea to ascertain the whereabouts of the stolen automobile, and it is claimed they located it in the Winthrop Road garage.

Believing that the thieves would return, the officers set a watch upon the place and it was while they were so engaged, in company with officers of the Chelsea department, that the big gray touring car with three men in it, drove up.

Just what words passed is not known but it is stated that shots were fired, one of them striking Deininger in the head and causing him to fall to the street. A second shot struck Donnelly, the sailor, who was passing.

It is said the gray car was driven off in the direction of Revere.

Deininger Dies at Hospital

Deininger and Donnelly were sent to the Frost hospital, where the former died within a short time. Donnelly's wound is not serious.

The trail of the gray car was taken up by the Chelsea police, and the Revere police were asked to assist. More than two hours later it is said that a gray car was found in a garage in that city, and as a result of inquiries Colonna was taken to the Revere police station on suspicion and questioned.

Colonna, it is said, runs an automobile from Bowdoin square, and the police charge that the men concerned in the shooting boarded an automobile at that point.

The police of this city, Chelsea and Revere are busy searching for the three occupants of the car.

FOUR CORNERS TO THIS AFFAIR

NEW YORK, Feb. 14. — Columbia, Pennsylvania, Dartmouth and Cornell are to form a four-cornered athletic association, acording to a report which was current today. Leverne Tyson, graduate manager of athletics at Columbia, while refusing to discuss the proposed organization, would neither affirm or deny the report.

"I can say nothing at this time," said Mr. Tyson at his office at Columbia, "and if any statement is made it will have to come from a source other than myself."

The objects of the association, according to the report, are to promote relations in football, baseball and track athletics. One of the proposals is for interlocking schedules in baseball and for a four-cornered track and field meet in May.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

GARRISON FINISH GIVES LOWELL VICTORY

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Lowell	38	27	58.5
Salem	35	27	56.5
Providence	32	31	51.6
Worcester	28	32	46.7
New Bedford	29	33	47.5
Lawrence	23	37	38.3

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Salem 6, Worcester 1.
Lowell 6, Providence 5.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

Lawrence at Lowell.
Salem at New Bedford.
Worcester at Providence.

In a garrison finish that brought the fans to their feet, Lowell came to the front and won from Providence in a fast, clean and stubbornly fought game of polo at the Crescent rink last night. The score was 6 to 5.

Fans realizing that games between these two teams are always of the classy order came prepared for a hard struggle and none went away disappointed. Earnie Doherty, who has halfbacking down to perfection, always gives the Lowell offensive men considerable trouble, and he was right in his element last night, and put up as good a blocking exhibition as one would care to see. Lovegreen at goal for the visitors had a banner night, and his remarkable kicking abilities were greatly responsible for keeping Lowell's score down.

The Gold Bugs got the jump, as after Hart had opened with a goal for Lowell, Thompson and Williams each scored two, and just before the period ended Hart jammed through another for Lowell. With the score four to two against us, it looked rather bad, but which the famous Hart-Harkins-Griffith combination got busy in the second session, it was "good night" for the Gold Bugs. Hart drove in three for Lowell, putting the Harkins crew in front, but just before the period ended Thompson came through with one that tied the count.

With the score five all as the mad period opened, the fans yelled hard for Lowell to count. Their appeals were soon answered, for Hart tailied with his sixth of the night. This was the final goal of the game, but both teams played strenuously to increase their score, but the goal tenders were in rare form, and prevented further scoring.

Harty driving, Harkins' feeding, Griffith's covering of Williams and Thompson, with Asquith's blocking, proved too strong a combination for the clan diggers, but the game was a battle all the way and the large crowd voiced its approval many times during the evening. The score:

LOWELL		PROVIDENCE
Hart, lr		lr, Williams
Harkins, rr		rr, Thompson
Griffith, c		c, Murnane
Asquith, lb		lb, Doherty
Lenox, g		g, LeVegreen

FIRST PERIOD

Won by	Caged by	Time
Lowell	Hart	.40
Providence	Thompson	3.25
Providence	Williams	1.05
Providence	Williams	5.50
Providence	Thompson	1.15
Lowell	Hart	2.05

SECOND PERIOD

Lowell	Hart	1.05
Lowell	Hart	2.15
Lowell	Hart	1.20
Providence	Thompson	7.25

THIRD PERIOD

Lowell	Hart	3.15

Summary: Score: Lowell 6, Providence 5. Rushes: Hart 5, Williams 9. Stops: Pence 47, Lovegreen 71. Referee: Graham. Timer: Sullivan.

POLO NOTES

The Lawrence team, composed of Captain Hardy, Blount, Harrold, Fahrner and Quigley, the latter recently imported from the west, will play Lowell at the Crescent rink tonight and a red hot game is expected. This will mark the first appearance of Quigley in Lowell and fans are anxious to give the whirlwind the once over. Lawrence papers and fans say he's "the goods," and they feel confident that the team will make a garrison finish.

Lawrence last year made a bad start, but following the acquisition of "Big Fred" Jean, the team went like a house afire and in the final weeks of the season the down-river aggregation made them all sit up and take notice. The team experienced the same difficulty in getting started this year, but now it is thought that a winning combination has been assembled, and from now on our "rivals" expect to be in the hunt.

That game between Salem and an All Star aggregation composed of Red Williams, Harkins, Higgins, Griffith, Doherty and Conley should be some scrap. We don't know who picked the "All Stars," but who ever did the job did his work well. While All-Star organizations have often gone down to defeat, we feel that if the other members play the game as Harkins and Griffith play it, the Salem club will be on the short end of the score.

The Worcester Telegram pays a fine tribute to "Bob" Griffith, Lowell's star centre, for his great work in stopping "Digger" Higgins the other night. It says, "There was not any question of the merit of the Lowell victory. The champions outplayed the Worcesters in every department. If there was one place more than another in which the difference was manifest, it was in the struggle between Griffith and Higgins. For many a year they have fought it out with varying successes, the centre being the only defense man credited with a speed sufficient to block Higgins.

"It was all Griffith last night. There have been battles between them in other games this season, in which Higgins evaded his opponent and made plays for the cage. Last night it was the other way. Griffith stopped Higgins every time he came up the floor. The rusher sometimes tried to get the ball past, intending to let Slater slip it back to him, after he got by Griffith. The plan didn't work, for the very simple reason that he did not get by Griffith. The capable Lowell centre jumped the same length that Higgins did, when the latter tried to get past. The rusher found his bulkier opponent in front of him. The ball was thus of little value to Worcester.

"It was rendered of even less value by the excellent blocking game that Asquith played. The light halfback rendered Slater's work ineffective. He either interfered with Slater's handling of the ball or shoved the rusher into the side of the rink and tied him up there."

It now looks as if "Bob" Hart will again set the pace for the goal getters this week. Hart and Harkins have perfected a combination that has "em all stopped. Harkins does the "feeding" and Hart the driving. Both are experts, and consequently, when the ball is rolling their way, opposing teams have little chance to win.

Asquith continues to improve, particularly in his handling of the ball. His blocking was always good, but his passing was a trifle off. Now he has got the trick of "crossing" his opponents and giving the ball to his rushes, and this improvement makes him a "handy man to have around the rink."

Griffith gave a splendid exhibition of "covering" last night. In watching Williams and Thompson, "Grif" had some job on his hands but he filled the bill in an exceptionally clever manner.

Lovegreen's work at goal last night was of a very classy variety.

GRANT ANNOUNCES NEW DEPARTURE

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—George W. Grant, owner of the Boston Braves, yesterday announced a new plan which should prove popular and which is in keeping with his announced policy when he took over the club three weeks ago, which was, in effect, that he proposed to give the Boston baseball public the consideration to which it was entitled.

The change amounts practically to a reduction in prices of admission.

He announced that the entire grandstand at Braves Field, with the exception of the box seats, will be unreserved for all championship games played there this season, except on holiday afternoons. This means that seats in the grandstand, box seats excepted, will be available to the fans at the admission price of 75 cents, plus the war tax, instead of having 3000 or 1000 of the best of them reserved, as heretofore. This will make Braves Field the only major league baseball park at which such a rule will obtain.

"I believe in giving the baseball public all I can give it for its money," said Mr. Grant in explaining the change, "and so there will be no reservation in the grandstand, except the box seats, and a small number of the other seats on holiday afternoons, which is done for the convenience of patrons, who wish to make sure of reservations."

The prices of some of the box seats will be reduced. The seats in the first row of boxes will remain at $1.50, plus the war tax, but the second and third rows, formerly sold at the same price, [illegible] the war tax. The price [illegible] on holidays will be the same as every other day.

"I cannot see the sense of having [illegible] of these seats vacant, and compel the patrons of the game to [illegible] the play from further back," said Mr. Grant.

GEORGE TYLER TO SIGN CONTRACT

George Tyler of this city, star southpaw of Mitchell's Chicago Cubs, has received his 1919 contract, and finding the terms contained therein perfectly satisfactory, will immediately sign it and return it to the club offices.

Tyler has been informed by his manager that he will be expected to report in Chicago March 19, when the club leaves for its spring training trip to Pasadena, Cal. The Lowell hurler expects a good season, both for himself and the Cubs, with the possibility of another pennant in the older organization and eventually another crack at the world series flag.

CALDWELL FIT FOR 1000-YARD RUN

Dave Caldwell of the B.A.A. is in fine fettle for the 1000-yard run for the Curley trophy at the service meet in the East armory at Boston, tomorrow night. Dave has two legs on the cup already and Joe Higgins of Holy Cross, one, but the latter will not be able to compete this year. Those persons who attended the meet when Caldwell won the yearly event for the second time in a wonderful race with Higgins and Mike Devaney, in 2.15, then a world's indoor record, are looking forward to some rare sport Saturday night. Devaney would like to come to Boston for the race, but is classed as a doubtful starter. However, Bowden of Tech has been groomed for the event, and Nightingale of N. H. State and Harry Paine of the B.A.A. are sure to make the going fast.

ST. PATRICK'S FIVE WINS

The St. Patrick's school eighth grade basketball quintet yesterday defeated a representative five from the Mann school by an overwhelming score of 44 to 0. Ashe and Prindeville starred for the Acres, each scoring 18 points, while T. Prindeville did the individual playing for the Mann school. St. Patrick's eighth grade team challenges any grammar school five in the city.

LAWRENCE BOUTS

Murphy "Subs" For Adair—Draws With Bogash

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—"Bad" Murphy of Syracuse, N. Y., was substituted for Barney Adair before the Unity club last night and gave Louis Bogash, New England lightweight champion of Bridgeport, a hard battle. The decision was a draw.

Sammy Jensky won the decision over Vic Moran, Young Goulette over Joe Delmont and Kid Francis over Dave Cronin in the preliminaries.

BIG BOWLING MATCH

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 14.—McConville and Pride have accepted the challenge of Paul Puchler and "Red" Millar, Boston bowlers, for a match, 10 or more strings, to be bowled in each city. The Portland men, formerly state champion and present title holder respectively, defeated Archie Walsh and James Whalen in 20 strings in a recent match. Negotiations are on for the dates and amount of prize money.

NO MORE CIRCUS FOR WILLARD

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.—Jess Willard, heavyweight champion of the world, is no longer proprietor of a circus. The Kansas rancher and king of pugilists came to Kansas City yesterday and disposed of his circus train and equipment for $37,000. This does not include any of the animals that were with Willard's Wild West show, when he toured the country in 1917. He sold the animals more than a year ago.

Willard is now interested only in oil leases and his ranch near Lawrence, Kas., where he makes his home. He went into the show business during the summer of 1917, when he was under the management of Tom Jones and Jack Curley. The champion was traveling with the circus, meeting all comers. He wanted to get rid of Jones and Curley, so he bought the circus and told his managers he was through with them.

The circus was a success under the champion's management, but he decided not to take the road again this year because war conditions made the show business unprofitable in 1918.

The champion is doing some light training in preparation for his bout with Jack Dempsey July 4, which will be promoted by Tex Rickard. Jess says he has not heard from Rickard since the promoter was in Havana City.

SPORTING GOSSIP

At a gathering of baseball patrons and newspapermen in New York yesterday the Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker Memorial association was formed for the purpose of providing a fitting memorial for a soldier who made the supreme sacrifice in France; for a baseball player who was a credit to the game, for a patriot and a man." Capt. Grant was killed in the Argonne Oct. 1. He was a member of the New York National league team when he enlisted in the officers' training school at Plattsburg in May, 1917. John J. McGraw of the New York club was elected president of the association, Sam Crane, secretary, and John B. Foster, treasurer. "Eddie" Grant will ever be remembered by the people in the shadow of Coogan's Bluff.

Connie Mack signed the sixth of his old players for the year yesterday when he received Tillie Walker's contract. Some doubt had been expressed whether or not the fleet-footed outfielder would fall in line this season, but the papers seem to dispel these fears. Mack needs the former Red Sox star in his trio of outfield gardeners.

Jim Cooney, former Worcester shortstop, may be the next shortstop of the Cincinnati club if Washington and the St. Louis Browns can be talked out of seeking his services. President Frazee, who holds Cooney on the Red Sox list, wishes to see him make his major league debut with Harry Harmann's team, and has said: "I would never let him go to any club if I didn't have faith in the boy with Cincinnati. He's hard enough to get such a player out of the American league. Washington, with John Lavan sticking to the navy, needs him, and St. Louis is anxious to get a shortstop who can hit."

Olympic games held in the next two or three years would be little more than dual meets between United States and Sweden, as England and France will be in no condition to take these games for some time to come.

Mike Ryan, athletic director at Camp Upton, has picked three of the men who will run against George Brown's first naval district relay at the Millrose A.A. games. Lieut. Larry Scudder, the former Penn star; Lieut. Hultz, the Syracuse hurdler and quarter-miler, and the speedy Abel Kiviat are the men selected.

Frank "Wild Fire" Schulte, former Cub and later with Washington, has signed to manage the Binghamton team of the International league this year.

Letters From Lowell Soldiers

Mrs. P. F. Kearney of 20 Talbot avenue, North Billerica has received the following interesting letter from her son, Corp. Austin H. Kearney of Battery A, 71st Field Artillery, overseas, in which he encloses the Christmas eve message of the colonel commanding his outfit:

St. Sylvain, France, Dec. 26, 1918.

Dear Mother: I haven't written you for some time, the reason being that I thought I would be home before the letter. I haven't written to anybody for five or six weeks.

Yesterday was Christmas and we sure had a good time, considering how we are fixed. We had reveille at 7.30 and each soldier received a package with two chocolate bars, a package of cigarets, a cigar and a can of tobacco. There was no drilling all day. We had a big turkey dinner with cake, pie, celery, boiled onions, mashed potatoes, etc. Long tables were set in an old church and we were each given a menu together with a roster of Battery A and Battery B, the first battalion of the well known 71st regiment.

The pillars and old arches had very pretty holly decorations and a large holly bell in the centre with an American flag over the altar. The first battalion includes about 500 or 600 men.

After dinner I got a pass and went into Angers, a city much larger than Lowell and not quite so large as Boston. We stayed until about 6 o'clock and as we didn't happen to meet any of our trucks on the way, we had to walk all the way back—about nine kilometres.

Just got in St. Sylvain in time to get to our minstrel show which was also held in this old church. It sure was "some" show and we really had an enjoyable time, although I was thinking every little white of home and the folks.

To top it all, I received my Christmas box and I'll just have to wait until I get home to tell you how glad I was to get it. I also got several letters. I haven't replied because we thought we were going home, but as far as we know it won't be for a little while.

Please excuse my writing as I am lying on my side, writing on a board with a candle to give me light. I'll write a longer letter in a few days. I am enclosing our Christmas eve message from our colonel which was read at retreat Christmas eve.

AUSTIN.

WAKEFIELD HIGH COMING TOMORROW NIGHT

Wakefield high is bringing only 13 men to Lowell Saturday night for her dual meet with the local squad, but the representatives of the near-Boston school are all picked men. There is no dead wood in the bunch and each man has been groomed for one special event. Burke, a member of the Wakefield star of a year and two years previous, will bear the brunt of the attack. He is entered in the "thirty," the 440, 880 and 1000 yard runs. Levine is another man who will bear close inspection and he will be hard to beat in the 1000 yards.

Local track followers will remember the Wakefield meet of last year as one of the hardest fought, victory finally swinging Lowell's way through a close decision in the relay race. This Wakefield relay quartet is practically intact again this year and another rousing good match is anticipated. Wakefield's coach is high in his praise of the team and expects to reverse last year's result.

The Lowell squad took its final practice this afternoon and all men are reported to be in top condition. It is possible that Capt. Mansur will also be used in the shot put as he has been showing good form in that event this week, and Coach Haggerty is hard up against it for point winners.

Directly after practice today the whole squad went to the Y.M.C.A. to attend the supper to be given by the students of the association. Lieut. James Patterson, intercollegiate 100-yard champion, is the principal speaker.

POLO AT CRESCENT RINK Lawrence vs. Lowell TONIGHT **POLO**

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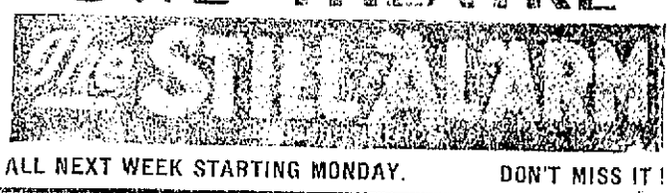

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NOTICE IN THE SUN BRINGS RESULTS

On Wednesday a short item was published in The Sun to the effect that J. R. Goodhue of Ocean View, Va., had written to Supt. Welch of the police department in an endeavor to locate Mrs. Josephine Lambert, wife of Louis Lambert, a railroad man. The letter stated that the last heard from Mrs. Lambert was several years ago when she was making her home in Suffolk street near a church.

As usual the notice in The Sun had its effect, for Supt. Welch received no less than ten responses to the article, and one of them was real interesting. Yesterday afternoon a young woman called at the office of the superintendent in Market street but, although she would give no name, she represented herself as the second wife of Louis Lambert. She informed the chief that Mr. Lambert's first wife was dead and that he too passed away several years ago. A few minutes later, however, a young man called at the station and said he was Mr. Lambert's brother-in-law. He stated that Mrs. Josephine Lambert, nee McLeach, died of gas poisoning about nine or ten years ago in a house in Merrimack street in the vicinity of city hall. He also gave the information that Mr. Lambert is living and is now employed as a railroad conductor on the line between Roberval and Lac St. John, Que., and that only a few weeks ago he was a visitor in Lowell with his second wife. Several other parties confirmed the young man's story and the information received from him was sent to Mr. Goodhue.

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DEATHS

CONNELLY—The many friends of Sister Mary Eligius, formerly Miss Annie Connelly of this city, will be grieved to learn of her death which took place yesterday at the convent of the sisters of St. Joseph in Somerville. She was well known in this city, having been in the order only two years and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. She was a graduate of St. Patrick's Girls' academy and was a member of the Immaculate Conception sodality of St Patrick's parish. Sister Eligius leaves besides her parents, John and Catherine Connelly of 168 Cross street, this city, two brothers, William and Leo, and three sisters, Nora, Esther and Catherine of this city.

ANDERSON—Miss Ida Anderson died yesterday afternoon at St. John's hospital at the age of 58 years, 1 month and 11 days. Miss Anderson was born in Sweden but had been a resident of this city for the past 33 years, residing at 8 Griffin street. She is survived by three brothers, August and John Anderson of this city and Gustaf Anderson of Woburn, and a sister living in Sweden. She was a member of the Swedish Methodist church. Her body will be removed to the home of her brother, 53 South Loring street, today by Undertaker William H. Saunders.

MARSH—James R. Marsh died Wednesday at Masonic home in Charlton, aged 80 years. He was for many years in the tobacco business in Prescott street.

BONDEAU—Clara Bondeau, aged 25 years, died yesterday at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Bondeau, 47 West Fifth avenue. Besides her parents she leaves five brothers and three sisters.

TABOR—Mrs. Anna Tabor, wife of Michael, aged 35 years, died yesterday at her home, 8 Coolan's court.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ANDERSON—Died in this city, Feb. 13, at St. John's hospital, Miss Ida Anderson, aged 58 years, 1 month and 11 days. Funeral services will be held at the home of her brother, John Anderson, 53 South Loring st, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Automobile cortege. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

BARRY—The funeral of Thomas F. Barry will take place Saturday morning from his late home, rear 16 Cross street, at 8 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

ERNEST—The funeral of Catherine Ernest will take place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of C. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

KAZANJIAN—The funeral of Elizabeth Kazanjian will take place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her late home, 537 High street. Burial will be in Westlawn cemetery, under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

MOORE—The funeral of Mrs. Teresa Moore will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home, 56 Chambers street. Burial will be in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, Undertaker George B. McKenna in charge.

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PRUNING DEPARTMENT ESTIMATES

The work of paring down the estimates for 1919 as submitted by the various city departments will undoubtedly get under way next Monday morning, according to Mayor Thompson. The estimates are practically completed and the heads of the various departments are anxious to have the job over with so that they may go ahead with the year's work unhindered by doubts as to how much money they will have to expend. The time is drawing very near the danger line as the city charter says that the departments may expend money in anticipation of appropriation during only the first two months of the year.

MASS NOTICE

An anniversary high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church, Monday morning at 8 o'clock, for the repose of the soul of Private Thomas J. Quirk, who died in France February 17, 1918.

FUNERALS

ERNEST—Catherine Ernest, aged 21 years, died at the State Infirmary and the body was removed to the funeral parlors of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street.

HAZZARD—The funeral of William B. Hazzard took place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his home, 186 Lawrence street, and was largely attended. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

KILLEEN—The funeral of Lillian Killeen took place Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 from the funeral chapel of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market st. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

MORGAN—The private funeral of Miss Hazel E. Morgan was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her father, George E. Morgan, 392 Chelmsford street. The services were conducted by Rev. Arthur S. Beale, pastor of the Highland Congregational church. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. The bearers were Lieut. Phillip H. Loupret, Charles T. McKenzie, Oliver L. Knapp and Abner C. Alden. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LIBBY—The funeral services of Mrs. Abbie E. Libby were held at the Edson cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon, Rev. Herbert E. Benton, pastor of the Grace Universalist church officiating. The bearers were Herbert E. Webster, Orren H. Webster, Frederick E. Emerson and Hon. Frederick W. Farnham. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

VHLIG—The funeral of George Edward Vhlig, the seven-year-old son of Herman F. Vhlig, was held from the undertaking rooms of George Carter on Concord road, Billerica, yesterday. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Harold Dale, pastor of the Congregational church. There were many floral offerings. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at Fox Hill cemetery.

LAWTON—Funeral services for Mrs. Helen M. Lawton, wife of Judge Frederick Lawton, took place yesterday afternoon at the First Church, Back Bay, Boston, and were conducted by Rev. Charles E. Park, D.D., the minister of the society. There was no vocal music, but several organ selections were played by John P. Marshall, the church organist, before and following the service. The body was brought to Lowell for burial.

LANG—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Lang took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 102 High street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. Charles Smith, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Thomas Sheehy, Patrick Carty, Mark Gearin and Arthur Devlin. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McQuaid. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MORRIS—The funeral of Miss Hannah Morris took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from her home, 39 Bourne street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from No. Adams, N. Y. and Dorchester and Boston, Mass. The cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where, at 10 o'clock a solemn high funeral mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. John Flynn, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. T. Franklin, O.M.I., as sub-deacon, and Rev. John Lyons of Holliston, Mass. was present within the sanctuary. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John F. Kelty rendered the Gregorian mass, Mr. Kelty presiding at the organ. There was a profusion of spiritual remembrances. The bearers were Lawrence Kane, Thomas Greene, Dennis Morris and Philip Maguire. At the grave Rev. Fr. Flynn read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CUDWORTH—The funeral of Isabel Cudworth took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her mother, 16 Stanley street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. James A. Lynch. The choir, directed by Mr. Thomas P. Boulger sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mr. Boulger and Miss Margaret Griffin. Miss Ella M. Reilly presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral offerings from sympathizing relatives and friends. The bearers were Messrs. Timothy Vaughn, Daniel O'Connell, John Aubin, Raymond Wilde, Thomas Delaney and John Toohey. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Lynch read the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

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Sirloin Steak ..... 25¢
Butt Steak ..... 25¢

Pork Sausage ..... 15¢
Pickled Tripe ..... 10¢
Pickled Feet ..... 12½¢
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Rich Old Tasty Cheese..... 37¢ lb.
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Fancy Ceylon Tea..... 35¢ lb., 3 lbs. $1.00
Pure Rich Cocoa ..... 23¢ lb.
Marshmallow Mist, (large can)..... 23¢

STERLING MILL AGENT IN HEROIC RESCUE

With an utter disregard for the ice-covered water and his own life, Royal P. White, agent of the Sterling mill, and captain in the state guard, yesterday afternoon, plunged through the thin ice which fringes the Concord river in the rear of the Sterling Co. to rescue Clara Zinck, a girl of 8 years, living at 39 Hudson street.

For some time the child has had the habit of playing around the mill property, which borders on the river, and she was not noticed particularly yesterday afternoon when she was first seen near the river bank. Venturing out on the thin ice the little girl broke through, a cry for help coming from her lips as she sank beneath the surface. Capt. White heard this cry while sitting at his desk in the mill office and dashed out to her rescue. Realizing that he would not be able to reach the child from the thicker ice Capt. White plunged into the open water, which swirled up to his neck, and grasped the girl as she came up for the second time. Other men from the mill also had answered the call and with the help of life-saving apparatus nearby pulled their agent and the child from the numbing water.

The girl was carried into the mill office where she was wrapped in blankets and given stimulants, and afterwards taken to her home in Hudson street. Neither Capt. White nor the little girl showed any ill effects from the icy water last evening. It was an act of true heroism, one which cannot pass unnoticed and unpraised.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either newsstand in the North station.

Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

TELLS SAFE AND SIMPLE WAY TO TREAT AND RELIEVE AT HOME

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parmint (Double Strength.) Take this home and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easy, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucus dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. It is said that nearly 90 per cent. of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and there must, therefore, be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple, harmless, home treatment.—Adv.

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SCOUTS DEMONSTRATE AT KEITH'S THEATRE

Members of the local troops of the Boy Scouts appeared at Keith's theatre last evening for the second public presentation of their anniversary week program and an interested audience thoroughly enjoyed the performance.

The scouts recently appeared at the Strand theatre and on both occasions opportunity was afforded the public to get an inside view of just what the scouts were doing. Last evening they were under the direction of Scoutmaster Fred Timmins. Reid I. Ripley, scout executive, was also present.

Following the call to the colors by Bugler Wilbur Roberts, allegiance to flag and country was pledged and this was most impressive. Troop 26 gave an excellent exhibition of pyramid building and then other troops followed with the semaphore alphabet and the international Morse code. The scout yell, "America" was also given with spirit.

Scoutmaster Timmins spoke briefly on the part which the scouts had played in the world war and also outlined plans for the future. He expressed the hope that there would be further co-operation between the scouts and the general public in the future.

During the regular Keith performance the scouts occupied box seats as the guests of the management. Officials of the local council wish to extend their appreciation to the management of the Strand and Keith's theatres for the various favors which have been done the scouts.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

In connection with the nation-wide observance of father and son week a most enjoyable banquet was held last evening at Calvary Baptist church in Liberty street. After an appetizing supper, came a program of music and speaking.

A number of solos were sung by Earl Leadbetter, accompanied by Miss Marion Leadbetter, and George Stewart entertained with the cornet.

After an invocation by the pastor, Rev. Asa R. Dilts, the toastmaster of the evening, Douglas Walker, who is president of the progressive class, made fitting remarks and introduced the various speakers. An address of welcome was made by Louis Browning, superintendent of the church school, and this was followed by an interesting talk entitled "A boy's best pal is his dad," by Ernest Craig, one of the progressives.

"A dad's best friend should be his boy" was the subject of some valuable remarks by S. G. Stephens and W. R. Gumb paid tribute to the boys who have "gone west." An address was made by Rev. Walter E. Woodbury, pastor of the Worthen Street Baptist church, and then with the singing of a hymn to fathers to the tune of "Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult," the pleasant evening was concluded.

The banquet was prepared by Mrs. F. A. Hardy, Mrs. J. E. McGregor, Mrs. E. L. Lalime, Mrs. S. G. Stephens, and served by Misses Hazel Hardy, Harriet Hardy, Ethel Dixon, Mildred McGregor and Florence Lalime.

I.W.W. LEADERS TAKEN IN SEATTLE RAIDS

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 14.—Four men, declared to have been leaders in distributing revolution and Industrial Workers of the World propaganda during Seattle's general strike recently, were in jail here today and warrants were out for seven others, charging criminal anarchy following three raids in which 33 additional men were arrested, and are being held for investigation.

Four men have been held on charges of distributing revolutionary propaganda. They are John Axtell, secretary of the propaganda committee of the I.W.W.; William Moran, under-secretary of the I.W.W. Defense council; Walker C. Smith, head of the Equity Printing Co. and alleged publisher and distributor of a strike leaflet headed "Russia did it," which advocated workmen taking over the shipyards, and F. G. Cassidy, candidate for the city council.

Prosecuting Attorney Fred C. Brown, who swore to the complaints upon which the warrants were issued, said: "Members of the Industrial Workers of the World used the general strike of labor in this city as a vehicle with which to start a revolution."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A very enjoyable smoke talk was held last evening in Highland hall under the auspices of Highland council, R.A. The affair was largely attended and proved to be one of the best social events of its kind in a long time. A feature of the affair was an entertainment by Carmine Dimoe, the soldier boy magician, who mystified his audience with numerous card tricks and other interesting stunts. Grand Officer Holgate of Boston and formerly of this city, spoke at length on the good of the order. Refreshments were served. The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Fred E. Jones, O. Phinney and J. E. Lafleur.

Attended Boston Meeting

Among the members of Industry, Lowell and Rochambeau councils who attended the reception given to Field Manager Edward J. Becker of New York at Chipman hall, Boston, Wednesday evening were the following:

Regents Neil A. Clark, Harry Richardson, Alphonse Fortier and John L. Jackson; Thomas H. Wilson, George D. Desrochers, Dr. Joseph A. Mehan, Dr. Hugh Walker, Hon. John J. Hogan, James A. Clark, Charles Fox, Peter Farrington, Lester A. Hill, Robert Bayley, Paul Leclaire, George E. Desrochers, David Parthenais, H. Montmarquet, G. Descoteaux and many others.

Catarrh Of the Stomach Is Dangerous

"Thousands Have It and Don't Know It," Says Physician—Frequently Mistaken for Indigestion—How to Recognize and Treat.

"Thousands of people suffer more or less constantly from furred, coated tongue, bad breath, sour, burning stomach, frequent vomiting, rumbling in stomach, bitter eructations, gas, wind and stomach acidity and call it indigestion when in reality their trouble is due to gastric catarrh of the stomach," writes a New York physician.

Catarrh of the stomach is dangerous because the mucous membrane lining of the stomach walls is thickened and a coating of phlegm covers the surface so that the digestive fluids cannot mix with the food and digest them. This condition soon breeds deadly disease in the fermented, unassimilated food. The blood is polluted and carries the infection throughout the body. Gastric ulcers are apt to form and frequently an ulcer is the first sign of a deadly cancer.

In catarrh of the stomach a good and safe treatment is to take before meals a teaspoonful of pure Bisurated Magnesia in half a glass of hot water as hot as you can comfortably drink it. The hot water washes the mucous from the stomach walls and dilutes the blood to the stomach while the bisurated magnesia is an excellent solvent for mucous and increases the efficiency of the hot water treatment. Moreover the Bisurated Magnesia will serve as a powerful but harmless antacid which will neutralize any excess hydrochloric acid that may be in your stomach and sweeten its food contents. Easy, natural digestion without distress of any kind should soon follow. Bisurated Magnesia is not a laxative, is harmless, pleasant and easy to take and can be obtained from any local druggist. Don't confuse Bisurated Magnesia with other forms of magnesia milks, citrates, etc., but get it in the pure bisurated form (powder or tablets), especially prepared for this purpose.

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FARMER'S INSTITUTE NEXT WEDNESDAY

Under the auspices of the Massachusetts state department of agriculture, co-operating with the Middlesex North Agricultural society, the third farmers' institute meeting of the season will be held next Wednesday at the Paige Street Baptist church in this city. The affair will last all day and promises to be the most important event of its kind in a long time.

The program will be as follows:

10 a. m.—Farmers conference.

10.30 a. m.—Address by Dr. George M. Twitchell of Maine. Topic, "Economic, Industrial, and Social Conditions Affecting the Farmer and Farm Life."

11.30 a. m.—General discussion of above subject.

11.45 a. m.—Discussion, followed by vote of the audience on the question "Should we no. have agricultural departments and colleges determine by actual farm tests costs of production of the staple farm crops in different sections and to help the farmer in obtaining living prices for his products?"

12 m.—Dinner. Served by the ladies of the church.

1 p. m.—Afternoon remarks by well known speakers and solos by Mrs. Winifred Fiske Symonds of Tyngsboro.

2 p. m.—The afternoon session will include musical selections by Mrs. Symonds and a talk upon "Health Helps" by Dr. Eleanor Mellen.

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Aluminum Percolators, guaranteed pure, $2.00 value. Special 99¢
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Window Shades, all colors, while they last ..... 49¢
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$1.00 House Brooms, while they last ..... 69¢

For lack of space we will just say that in our kitchenware department you will find an entire change of prices which will save you real money.

Large Roll Toilet Paper ..... 6 for 25¢
Flash Hand Cleaner ..... 3 Cans for 25¢

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WOOLEN SPINNERS

At a regular meeting of the Woolen Spinners' union held last evening the retiring president, Joseph O. Poirier was presented a handsome gold signet ring with the insignia of the United Textile Workers of America, while William Story, the retiring secretary, was also remembered by being presented a purse of gold. The presentations were made by Charles E. Anderson, secretary of the Trades and Labor council, who complimented and thanked the retiring officers for their efficient services to the union. The meeting was presided over by President Thomas Farrell and routine business was transacted.

IF MOTHERS ONLY KNEW

During these days how many children are complaining of headache, biliousness, stomach troubles and constipation. If mothers only knew what Mother Gray's Sweet Powders would do for these children no family would ever be without them. They are so mild and pleasant to take and so effective in their action that mothers who once use Mother Gray's Powders for their children cannot say enough in their praise. Sold by all druggists everywhere. Adv.

MONUMENT IN FRANCE TO AMERICAN HEROES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—France has offered to present to the United States the site for a monument on French soil to Americans who died "on the field of honor."

STRAY DOGS KILLED

As a result of the activity of the local police about a hundred stray dogs have been put to death during the past week. The patrolmen of the city a week ago were given instructions to round up all stray dogs, that is canines found roaming around without collars properly marked and since that time an average of about 15 dogs a day has been sent to the station. The dogs breathed their last in the gas box under the supervision of Agent Gilmore of the Humane society.

STATIONARY FIREMEN

The members of the Stationary Firemen at a regular meeting last evening voted to strike in a couple of weeks if by that time the war labor board has taken no action on their demand for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage of $5 a day. Some time ago the firemen started a movement for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage of $5 a day and the matter was referred to the war labor board, which set Jan. 15 as the date for a hearing. The board was not ready to confer at that time and a postponement was effected, but since that time the firemen claim they have heard nothing regarding their request. Last evening's meeting was presided over by President Thomas F. Quinn.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particles of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

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The Sale of "Chic" Undermuslins

Continues all the week—and the prices are so much less than for several months, one should stock up on these well made garments.

New lots added daily, and a large assortment of sample pieces.

THE "CHIC" SHOP

50 CENTRAL STREET—Through to Prescott Street

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SPECTACULAR RUNAWAY

Cow on Way to Slaughter House Had Last and Fast Ride

A most spectacular runaway occurred in Gorham street late yesterday afternoon, when a pair of heavy horses, hitched to a jigger in which "Bossie," a cow formerly owned by a Chelmsford farmer, was riding, became frightened and raced down the street as far as the postoffice.

It seems that the jigger was being driven from Chelmsford to Dracut via Gorham street. When Davis square was reached the driver alighted from the wagon and went into a store. In the meantime while "Bossie" was probably wondering what was going to happen to her, a passing automobile frightened the pair of horses and the result was a dash through the street at breakneck speed.

"Bossie" was rolled from one side of the jigger to the other and in many instances she was threatened with being thrown overboard, but through amazing aerobatic feats she managed to keep her position. The horses speeded down the hill, swaying from one side of the street to the other. In a couple of instances the vehicle came in contact with standing automobiles, but no serious damage was caused. When the corner of Appleton street was reached there was an electric in the middle of the road, but that did not prevent the horses from keeping on their wild race. They swung around the car and it was then that "Bossie" was most badly treated, for the jigger struck a pole and "Bossie" was given the shaking-up of her life. The collision snapped the pole of the jigger and the horses, becoming free, kept up their run to a point beyond the postoffice, where they were brought to a stop by an unknown man.

The horses were later rehitched to the jigger and driven to Humphrey's stable in Gorham street. Agent Gilmore of the Humane society was called and after ascertaining that the horses and "Bossie" were in no worse condition than when the race was started, he gave Mr. Cohen, the owner and driver, permission to resume his trip and "Bossie" was then safely taken to the slaughter house. The runaway was witnessed by hundreds of people and all wondered that no serious damage was done.

REPORTS OF REBELLION "MADE IN GERMANY"

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Reports of a rebellion in Rumania have been current for nearly a month, with varying details, but all have emanated from German or Austrian sources and have not been confirmed by advices from disinterested points. The Rumanian legation here knows nothing of any outbreak and does not attach any importance to reports received yesterday from Berlin.

The legation, however, says that it has known for many months that German and Russian Bolshevists, amply supplied with money, have been working in Rumania trying to bring about anarchy and the deposition of the dynasty.

WAR REVENUE BILL IS PASSED BY CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Final legislative action on the war revenue bill levying six billions in taxes this year and four billions yearly thereafter until revised was taken late yesterday by the senate.

Without a record vote and with but a few scattering noes, the conference agreement on the measure was adopted as approved last Saturday by the house.

After the bill is signed by Vice President Marshall and Speaker Clark it will be sent to the White House for approval by President Wilson after his return from France, about the end of the month.

THE LAWRENCE STRIKE SITUATION

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—The absence of unskilled workers still hampered today the operation of the big textile plants where a strike has been in progress two weeks to enforce a demand that pay at the rate of 54 hours be given under the new 48 hour week schedule. Mill officials said that many of the skilled workers had returned and that virtually all the others would report when needed.

The strike committee representing largely operatives classed as unskilled maintained the usual picketing force at the mill gates when the bells rang for the opening hour today. The police made two arrests near the Pacific mills where they said workers were being intimidated. Members of the citizens' committee who had watchers at the gates, said the number reporting for work was larger than on any day since the strike began.

The appointment of William Renne as treasurer of the strike committee to succeed Anthony Russo, who resigned, was announced today. Russo explained that he did not have the time to devote to the work. Angelo Rocco, who was reported to have resigned from the strike committee, said today that he had had no connection with the strike.

No Need to Be Thin, Scrawny or Sallow

If you are thin and want to be plumped, if you have wrinkles in your face that you are not proud of, if the skin is sallow or subject to pimples or blackheads, take Mi-o-na stomach tablets for two weeks and notice the change.

The majority of thin people are thin because the stomach does not perform its duties properly. It is not secreting sufficiency of the natural digestive juices and in consequence does not extract from the food enough nutritive matter to nourish every part of the body.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are intended to build up the stomach so that it will act properly and extract from the food the elements necessary to form flesh.

If you are thin try two weeks' treatment of Mi-o-na stomach tablets. They are small, easily swallowed and are sold on the guarantee of money back if they do not overcome chronic indigestion, acute or chronic, stop stomach disturbance, belching, heartburn, sour stomach, and any after dinner distress.

For sale by all leading druggists.—Adv.

FOOD FACTS

A Few of the Many Big Cut-Price Specials at

SAUNDERS' MARKET

THIS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Pigs' Feet White and Clean **7 lbs. 25c**

Potatoes Large No. 1 Stock, 15 lb. Peck ..... **33c** | **Coffee** Fresh Roast Less Than Cost, lb **19c**

GEISHA CRABMEAT, new goods, just arrived, 1 lb. can 59c

Butter Table Quality Pound **45c** | **Lard** Best Rex Pure White, lb. **27c** | **Eggs** Fancy Selected Dozen **38c**

FRUIT JELLY, lb. ..... 10c | PEANUT BUTTER, lb. .. 19c | Cheese, Young America, lb. 35c

Pork Shoulders, lb. 15c | **Pork Loins** Small Lean, Lb. ... **25c**

Pork and Beans Campbell's Best, Can **12c** | **Hatchet** Pork and Beans Big Can **25c**

Roast Beef Boneless Sirloin No Waste Pound ... **25c** | **Roast Beef** Face of Rump Lb. . **25c**

BUTTERINE, lb. ..... 29c | COMPOUND, lb. ..... 25c | SALT PORK, hvy. bean, lb. 23c

BEANS, Best Georgia, lb.... 8c | BEANS, Fancy Yel. Eye, lb. 10c | BEANS, best pink, lb..... 8c

SPARE RIBS, Salt, lb.... 10c | PIGS' HEAD, corned, lb... 10c | OX TONGUE, corned, lb... 25c

Oranges Size Dozen **39c** | **FIGS, pkg. 19c**

Legs of Mutton, lb. ..... 21c Legs of Lamb, lb. 32c

Tomato Sausage 30c lb.
Dried Beef ..... 70c lb.
Pork Sausage.... 32c lb.
Beef Loaf ..... 28c lb.
Blood Pudding .. 25c lb.
Frankfurts .... 28c lb.
Jellied Corn Beef 29c lb.
Sliced Scotch Ham 55c lb.
Sliced Boiled Ham 75c lb.
Sliced Bacon .... 50c lb.

Pressed Corn Beef 50c lb.
Head Cheese .... 25c lb.
Jelly Tongue .... 55c lb.
Metzwurth ..... 45c lb.
Tripe ..... 10c lb.
Pigs' Feet ..... 12c lb.
Pressed Ham .... 25c lb.
Minced Ham .... 25c lb.
Holstein ..... 45c lb.
Pressed Corn Pork 50c lb.

Ginger Snaps..... 8c lb.
Animal Crackers 12c lb.
Fig Newtons.... 23c lb.
Mixed Cookies .. 18c lb.
Milk Crackers .. 18c lb.
Soda Crackers.. 18c lb.
Graham Crackers 20c lb.
Oyster Crackers 20c lb.
Lemon Snaps.... 22c lb.
Raisin Drops.... 25c lb.
Sardines ..... 25c lb.

Butter Thins.... 25c lb.
Brown Baked Crackers 50c box
Bradt's Common Crackers ..... 50c box
Takhoma Biscuits .. 30c
Butter Thins.. 18c pkg.
Drake's Pound Cake, 30c lb.
Drake Sponge..... 32c
Corn on Cob 12c
Soft Shelled Walnuts 38c lb.

Beef Boiling Pieces, lb.... 18c; Sirloin, Boned, lb.... 25c; Chuck Cuts, lb..... 22c; Prime Rib, lb. 28c

Veal Milk Fed Legs, lb.... 21c; Milk Fed Loins, lb... 19c; Milk Fed Fores, lb... 15c; Milk Fed Chops, lb... 28c

FOWL Fresh Killed, Lb. ... 35c

CORNED BEEF
Thick Rib, lb... 18c | Spare Ribs, lb... 10c | Salt Pork, lb... 23c
Brisket, lb. .... 23c | Pigs' Ears, lb..... 5c | Shoulders, lb... 23c
Stickers, lb. .... 18c | Pigs' Snouts, lb. 7c | Ox Tongues, lb. 23c
Navel Ends, lb. 14c | Pigs' Head, lb. 12c | Brisket Pork, lb. 30c

FOWL To Fricassee Lb.... 30c

Chickens Lb. ... 38c | **Leaf Lard** Lb. 29c | **Chickens** Cut Up, Lb. ... 30c

Tomatoes, can.... 17c | Snider's Ketchup ..... 25c | Ox Tails ..... 7c Each

PORK BUTTS, lb. **30c** | Beef Kidney, lb... 12c; Pigs' Liver, lb..... 9c; Sliced Ham, lb... 45c | Pigs' Kidneys, lb.... 9c; Beef Liver, lb..... 12c; Soup Bones, lb.... 13c | BEEF BUTTS, lb. **27c**

Lamb to Stew 15c | Beef to Stew 22c | Veal to Stew 18c

LAMB CHOPS, Lb. ... **29c** | **STEAKS** VEIN, lb. ..... 35c; ROUND, lb..... 25c; SIRLOIN, lb. .... 30c; RUMP, lb. ..... 55c | MUTTON CHOPS, LB. **23c**

TOMATOES, can 12c
SHRIMP, can..... 12c
CORN STARCH, pg. 7c
COMPOUND, lb. .24c
PEAS, can 12c

OLD DUTCH, can... 7c
BROOMS, each .. 80c
Gold Medal Flour, bag $1.35
CORN, can..... 12c

MINCE MEAT, pkg. 10c
Campbell's Soup, can 9c
CATSUP, Snider's Best 25c
TOMATOES, can 16c

LIGHT HOUSE CLEANSER, can 4c
RAISINS, pkg. .. 10c
Molasses, Wh. Riv. 10c

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Disturbed sleep usually comes from some form of indigestion! Strengthen the stomach and stimulate the liver with a course of

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BOLSHEVIKI TO FIGHT GERMANY

Papers Taken From Radek Disclosed Plans For Spartacan Uprising

Big Bolshevist Army Was To Attack the East Frontier Next Month

COPENHAGEN, Thursday, Feb. 13.—Papers and letters found in the home of Karl Radek, the Russian Bolshevik emissary, whose arrest by the Berlin police was announced yesterday, indicated that he was planning a Spartacan uprising in March throughout the country.

A Bolshevist army was planing to attack the east frontier at the date fixed for the uprising, it is said. Radek is reported to have been disguised in a German officer's uniform on many occasions.

Transformed French army airplanes are being used to bring Morocco within halfday of France.

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All are smartest styles demanded by young men. All the conservatives. Blue, black and gray serges, dark worsted stripes and silk mixtures—some cassimeres.

SERGES $2.98
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WORSTED $3.50
OTHERS TO..... $8.00
SILK MIXTURES..... $8.00
OTHERS TO..... $9.00
COTTON MIXTURES..... $1.98
OTHERS $2.98

FOR SOME UNUSUAL REASON

Boys' Suits Are Very Low

AT CHALIFOUX'S BASEMENT

BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS, in dark gray mixtures, sizes 6 to 18 years. $6.50 value. Special for..... $3.98

BOYS' JUVENILE SUITS, mixtures and corduroys, sizes 4 to 8 years, $5.00 value. Special $2.98

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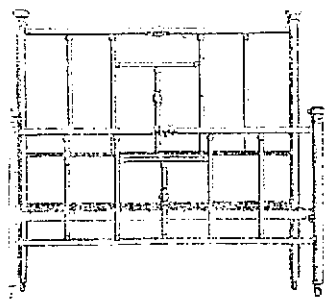
The simple easy method of buying Furniture on the Morris Plan appeals to men and women who consider their own interests first.

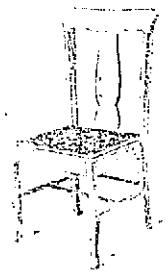
During February we are offering every day special values in High Grade Furniture of Chalifoux quality. Visit the New Rug and Furniture Store —maker of comfortable homes.

BRASS BEDS



Beautiful Colonial bed, as illustrated, with heavy 2 inch posts and heavy filling rods, satin finish, all sizes..... $17.50

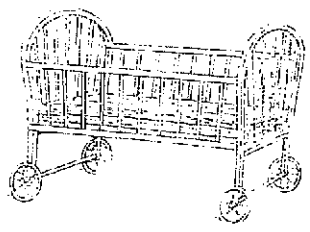
DINING CHAIR



Solid quartered oak dining chair, as illustrated, shaped bannister back and genuine leather slip seat $3.49

SLIDING COUCHES, sold complete with mattresses and pillows. All iron frame with National Spring top. Can be separated and will make two complete beds..... $12.50

LULLABY CRIB OR BASSINETTE

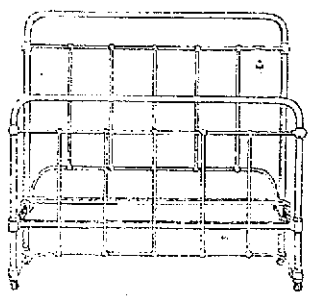


Strongly made, all nicely enameled, in white, heavy rubber tired wheels, close woven spring bottom $3.98

COMBINATION MATTRESS—Soft and comfortable sanitary mattress, soft top and bottom and sides, covered with a fancy heavy striped ticking, $7.50

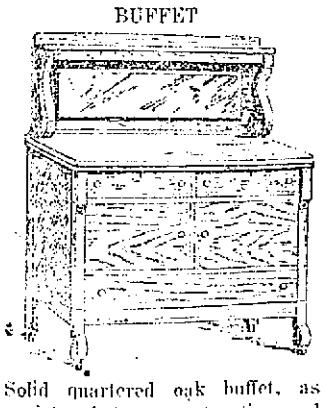
3-PIECE MISSION SET, all solid oak with auto spring seats, consisting of chair, rocker and settee. Rich fumed finish. Three pieces, while they last $39.50

MISSION ROCKER, heavily built, solid oak wicker, fumed oak finish. The soft spring seat and the back are upholstered in finest grade of imitation brown leather, $7.98



WHITE ENAMELED BEDS, exactly like cut, solid heavy continuous posts with five heavy filling rods. Don't confuse this bed with the light weight bed so commonly used. Heavy and better built in every way, $8.98

BUFFET



Solid quartered oak buffet, as pictured, best construction and finish, lined silver drawer, large linen drawer and deep cupboard, large bevel edge plate mirror $28.50

STATIONERY SPECIAL 60 Sheet Pound Paper..... 25¢ 2 Pkgs. of Envelopes to match... 25¢

Yes, the prices of SOME food Products are coming down—We wish that COFFEE were one of them!

You have noticed, no doubt with considerable satisfaction, the recent decline in the prices of food products—especially butter and eggs. Naturally, you are looking forward with hope—perhaps expectancy—to lower prices on everything.

Whether prices in general have reached their turning point and are going to come down, we do not know. We can say positively, however, that insofar as the price of coffee to be used within the next several months is concerned, there is still an upward trend.

This upward trend in the price of coffee is due to economic conditions which we analyzed quite in detail in a recent announcement in this newspaper. You will remember that we told you why coffee was about the only food product that stayed down in price during the war, and why the price began to go up the moment peace was in sight.

We explained the import restrictions which prohibited coffee roasters in this country from buying more than a three months' supply while prices were around normal. And we pointed out to you that as the stocks bought at noraml prices were used up and the new stocks for which roasters had to pay higher prices were drawn upon, you would have to pay more.

Every day, roasters—if they have been honest with the government—are obliged to use more and more of these high-cost coffees because the stock bought at lower prices is rapidly becoming exhausted. They are, therefore, obliged to advance their price to the retailers, who in turn must advance the price to you. **This is the reason why the retail price of coffee is advancing.**

These are conditions which are beyond the control of the coffee industry in this country. Therefore—

Coffee roasters can do but one of two things

They can either maintain quality and increase price in proportion to the increased cost to them, or they can hold their price down by reducing the quality of their coffee.

The entire business of the W. S. Quinby Company has been built on quality. Our policy in the present crisis has been that under no conditions would we permit the enviable reputation for uniformity, delicious flavor and delightful aroma which La Touraine Coffee has so long enjoyed to be injured in order to save a few cents a pound. And the best evidence that our policy has met with the approval of the coffee-consuming public is the fact that the sale of La Touraine Coffee is increasing faster today than ever before in the history of our business!

Your money back if you find that the quality of La Touraine Coffee isn't as good as before the war. Your money back if it doesn't make the most delicious cup of coffee you ever tasted.

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THAT'S WHY

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La Touraine

SAY IT'S The Perfect Coffee

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La Touraine Coffee and Teas

Don't Accept Coffee as La Touraine Unless It's in the La Touraine Bag

Those of you who have been consistent users of La Touraine know that its uniform quality, its delicious flavor and delightful aroma are just as uniform and delicious and delightful now as they have always been.

But some people have never yet tried La Touraine. If you happen to be one of them, this advertisement offers you an opportunity to discover how good a cup of coffee can really be—

Without the slightest risk of ever regretting your purchase

Just go to your grocer and buy a pound of La Touraine. Watch him roll the ripe, perfectly blended and roasted beans out of the La Touraine bag into the grinder. **Ask him to grind them about as fine as granulated sugar.**

Then he will put the freshly-ground coffee back into the La Touraine bag for you.

Or perhaps you would prefer to grind the coffee in your own home. Either way, you can always be sure that the natural strength and flavor of La Touraine Coffee will be preserved for you in the beans.

And please remember this: If you are disappointed in what thousands of critical users have called "The Perfect Coffee," just send what remains in the bag to us at our expense and mention the name of the dealer who sold it to you. Then without question—**Your money will be promptly refunded.**

CHELMSFORD NEWS

No Increase in Tax Rate—Constable Resigns—Selectmen Organize

Despite the fact that the appropri-tions voted at the last annual meet-g of the residents of Chelmsford, xceeded those of last year by $11,000, is believed that the tax rate for 1919 ill be the same if not lower than that f 1918. James P. Dunigan, chairman f the board of assessors, who makes is home in the North Village, told The un yesterday that in his opinion the ax rate will be reduced about 20 cents thousand. He said the assessors will art on their annual tour of the town pril 1 and it is believed that before hey are through with their work they ill have increased the personal and eal estate property of the town about 100,000, and that will more than offet the increase in the appropriations oted at the recent town meeting.

onstable Will Resign

Fred I. Vinal, who at the last meet-g of the board of aldermen was again appointed a constable for the North Village, will not hold the job throughout the year. He will remain in office until a case now pending in superior court is disposed of and then he will tender his resignation.

Mr. Vinal has been a member of the town constabulary about 15 years, during which time he has proven to be a very efficient officer. His last important arrest was about a month ago when he apprehended one of the young men who, it is claimed assaulted and robbed a resident of Graniteville, the alleged assault having taken place in the North village. It is this case that is now pending at the superior court. Mr. Vinal, who is overseer of the carpenter shop at the George C. Moore mill, states that he finds it very hard to manage both jobs and that remuneration from the town, 30 cents an hour, while one works, is not attractive enough. It is not known who his successor will be.

Board of Selectmen

At a recent meeting of the board of selectmen, Justin L. Moore was elected chairman, while D. Frank Small, who has held the office of chairman for the past three years, was chosen clerk of the board. It was a case of swapping jobs between Messrs. Small and Moore, for the latter was clerk of the board last year. Mr. Moore and his family are now enjoying a rest at Jacksonville, Fla., where they will sojourn the next couple of months.

Geo. C. Moore Mill

There is one organized body at the George C. Moore mill and that is the Wool Sorters' union and just for that its members are now enjoying a 48-hour week, while the other operatives of the mill are still on the old time schedule. It was learned yesterday that the wool sorters were the only ones to present a demand for a 48-hour week and their demand was granted, the new schedule of hours going into effect last Monday. They now start work at 7.15 a. m. and work until 12 m. Then they start in again at 1 p. m. and quit at 5 p. m. Saturdays they work from 7.15 a. m. to 11.30 a. m. The other employes of the mill work from 6.30 a. m. to 12 m. and from 12.30 to 5.30. Saturday they start at 6.30 and work until 12 o'clock. It is understood that the wool sorters will receive time and a half for all overtime.

Coal is Scarce

It was fortunate for some residents of the North Village that the Lowell coal dealers had plenty of coal on hand for there might have been what could be termed a small coal famine in the village. The North Chelmsford coal man is James P. Dunigan, who up to about two weeks ago has been in a position to fill the orders he had on hand, but a couple of weeks ago his supply ran out and he was forced to carry coal from local yards. He has had an order for five carloads at the mines for the past several weeks, but the freight congestion is such that his coal has not yet arrived. He expects, however, that his five carloads of the precious "nuggets" will roll into town before many days.

Silesia Mills

There has been no talk of a 48-hour week at the Silesia mills at North Chelmsford and accordingly the old working schedule is still in force. The mills employ about 350 hands and all seem satisfied with present conditions. When the armistice was signed the mills curtailed to four days a week, but this week it is expected the operatives will be kept busy five days. Business seems to be picking up.

Wholesale Breaks

In relation to the two recent breaks at the North Chelmsford depot of the Boston & Maine railroad, one of the detectives of the railroad went to North Chelmsford in the early part of the week for the purpose of conducting an investigation. The visitor informed the town constables that he had no less than 14 railroad station breaks on his list during the past month in various parts of the state. It is believed that the breaks were committed by a gang that travels from town to town, for the Billerica Center station was broken into and the next night the North Billerica station was visited. A few nights later a visit was paid to the North Chelmsford depot, where the intruders got away with about $60 in cash. Last Friday night the North Chelmsford station was again visited and about $6 was taken. On the same night the station at Tyngsboro was broken into, but it could not be learned just what luck the thieves had in that place. The railroad and federal authorities are on the watch for the culprits, while the town constables are also keeping their eyes open.

Your Appearance

Depends a good deal upon your teeth. Whether you are employer or employe, you must make the best appearance possible and the teeth are the main contributors.

There is nothing more unsightly than a set of black, dirty, broken down teeth and there is absolutely no excuse for leaving them in that condition as, by new methods, I have proven that all dental work can be done absolutely without pain.

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12 PRESENTED D. S. MEDALS

Nine Army Officers and Three Civilians Decorated by Direction of Pres. Wilson

Awards Presented by Sec. Baker—Rendered Meritorious Service During War

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Secretary Baker today personally presented to nine army officers and three civilians Distinguished Service medals awarded them by direction of President Wilson for exceptionally meritorious and conspicuous service during the war. The civilians are P. A. S. Franklin, chairman of the shipping control committee; Edward R. Stettinius, second assistant secretary of war, and Guy E. Tripp, assistant chief of ordnance.

The presentation took place in the secretary's office in the war department. The citations as published today in army orders follow:

Major General Frank McIntyre—as executive assistant to the chief of staff, his breadth of view and sound judgment contributed materially to the formulation and carrying out of policies essential to the operation of the military establishment.

Major General John L. Chamberlain—As inspector-general of the army he has by his highly responsible services materially contributed to the efficiency of all departments and bureaus of the military establishment and to the successful execution of the military program.

Major General Jesse I. McCarter—As chief of the militia bureau he conceived and directed the organization of the United States guards.

Major General Peter C. Harris—In the adjutant general's department, his zeal, energy and judgment have been made manifest by the reforms accomplished in record keeping systems.

Brigadier General William S. Pierce—While in charge of the Springfield arsenal, his exceptional ability contributed materially to increasing the output of small arms.

Brigadier General Richard C. Marshall—His zeal, judgment and exceptional administrative ability in the construction division of the army have enabled serious difficulties to be overcome.

Brigadier General Robert I. Rees—To his initiative and breadth of vision are largely due the successful measures for training enlisted men for special services and the establishment of student army training corps.

Brigadier General William H. Rose—While in charge of the engineer depot, he was charged with the system of purchase of supplies. His exceptional ability, judgment and resourcefulness are apparent in the efficient solution of the many difficult problems involved.

Col. Constant Cordier, general staff—While on duty as liason officer between the war department and the foreign military missions, he displayed the greatest discretion and ability.

P. A. S. Franklin—To his fine technical knowledge and energetic action is due, in a large measure, the efficient jurisdiction over dock facilities and floating equipment.

Guy E. Tripp, who as chief of the production devision of the ordnance deparment and later as assistant chief of ordnance, displayed fine technical ability and broad judgment in systemizing methods and practices, resulting in the efficient co-operation of industries producing articles of ordnance for the army.

Edward R. Stettinius, who, as director-general of purchases for the war department, second assistant secretary of war and special representative in France of the secretary of war in connection with the procurement of munitions for the American Expeditionary forces, rendered conspicuous services. His broad vision and splendid judgment have been of the greatest value to the success of the military problem.

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Here Are Some Good Shoe Trades for Friday and Saturday

One lot of Girls' high cut, lace, gun metal School Shoes, sizes 8½ to 11. Would be very cheap at $2.50 a pair, for.....**$1.98 a Pair**

One lot of Misses' high cut, lace, gun metal School Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2. Would be very cheap at $3.00, for.....**$2.23 a Pair**

One lot of Boys' Goodyear welt, lace Shoes, sizes 11 to 13½. Would be very cheap at $3.50. No shoddy in these shoes, for.....**$2.75**

We can **save you money** on Children's Educator Shoes. We guarantee them, the very best quality manufactured. **Try us.**

We are selling Genuine Vici Kid Boots, up-to-date lasts, that are worth six dollars a pair, for.....$4.48

We have the finest line of **Men's High Grade Shoes** to be found in the city of Lowell. We have a complete line of sizes, can give you a proper fit and can **Save You From One to Three Dollars a Pair.**

Did you get a pair of the **Ladies' Pumps** we sold this week for **$2.00?** They certainly were a great bargain and we have a few of them left. If you want a pair call at once.

SEE OUR WINDOWS THIS WEEK. SEE THE QUALITY. SEE THE PRICES

BOULGER'S UP-TO-DATE STORE 231-233 Central Street

CLOSING ARGUMENTS IN BATES MURDER TRIAL

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 14.—The trial of Langdon Bates for the murder of Mrs. Edith Cole at Winthrop last August, reached its final stage in the superior court today, the presentation of evidence having been completed at the close of the second day. Only the closing arguments and the judge's charge to the jury remained to be heard, and the case was expected to be in the hands of the jury by noon.

Agree on 13th

Continued

justice depended for satisfactory settlement upon the Society of Nations, which the conference pledged itself at the outset to organize. Thus it became the custom to give a patient hearing to everybody who came to Paris to present the claims of oppressed and dissatisfied peoples, and then refer the claims for justice to the Society of Nations to be created.

One prominent delegate explains that the conference took the position that to undertake to adjudicate all conflicting claims would be equivalent to creating a court and endeavoring in the act creating it to dispose of every possible case that might come before it for decision.

While the great project of a Society of Nations is under consideration by the various governments represented at the conference, preliminary to the final vote, the conference, through its commissions, is expected to prepare a great mass of material relating to the many subjects that will make up the docket of the society.

Plan is Constitutional

As soon as the conference has relieved itself of this burden, it is expected to adjourn sine die. It has been said by a highly competent authority that the date of adjournment will be about June 1.

Nothing has been disclosed officially, as to the plan for the society, but in the opinion of American delegates, it is safe against attack on the ground of unconstitutionality. If it does involve an alliance requiring the use of American troops, in combination with those of other nations, against an offender against the law of nations, as laid down by the conference, it is recalled that there is precedent for such an alliance in a treaty between the United States and France more than a century ago. It is also pointed out by the authorities here that power is reserved to congress to carry out the pledge in its own way through its control of appropriations and war-making power. The senate, especially, has distinctive powers in its right to approve or disapprove treaties such as that which is necessary to give life to the Society of Nations.

Wilson Sails Tomorrow

Preparations have been completed for the homeward voyage of the presidential party, which will leave Paris tonight for Brest on a special train and sail tomorrow on the liner George Washington, on which it came to France. This time the party will be much reduced, the large staff of state department employes and numerous experts who came over with President Wilson remaining in Paris.

The party will comprise President and Mrs. Wilson, David R. Francis, ambassador to Russia; White House employes, secret service men, the 300 soldiers who have formed the guard around the Murat residence; Congressmen George White of Ohio, and P. D. Norton of North Dakota, and representatives of three news associations. It will number 312 persons. All the accommodations of the liner will be utilized, however, for not only will every cabin and stateroom be occupied but the vast hold will be filled with several thousand American soldiers who have seen service in France and who are going home to demobilization camps.

Agree on Wilson's Lucky Day

The agreement on the constitution for a Society of Nations by the commission which has been framing the plan, was effected on President Wilson's lucky day—the 13th—and there are just twice 13 articles in the document.

Leon Bourgeois, in giving France's adhesion to the Society of Nations today at the plenary session of the peace conference, planned to make certain reservations in the name of the French government, according to a Havas report. It is probable that before President Wilson leaves the supreme council will desire to elucidate the attitude it will adopt relative to the Prinkipo conference with representatives of Russian governments.

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INTERNATIONAL ARMY PROPOSAL BEATEN

PARIS, Feb. 14.—(By Associated Press)—The Bourgeois proposition for an inter-allied military force to enforce peace was defeated by an overwhelming vote at the meeting of the Society of Nations commission yesterday. The French and Czecho-Slovaks were the only representatives voting in the affirmative.

The final draft of the Society of Nations plan was then unanimously adopted as a whole. It consists of 26 articles.

The Japanese delegation presented an amendment providing that racial discrimination should not be tolerated in immigration laws. Several delegates urged that this would open such a large question that great delay might ensue, and the matter was dropped without a vote.

SACRED HEART SOCIAL CLUB TO PUT ON BIG MINSTREL SHOW AND AFTERPIECE

The Sacred Heart club will present a big minstrel show, with other features, at the school hall, Moore street, tomorrow and indications point to the affair being one of the best ever staged in this city. Many of the leading artists of the city are on the program, which has been well arranged and carefully rehearsed. Among the participants will be Martin H. Maguire, Edward Donovan, Margaret McQuillan, May Rose O'Neil, George Kirwin, Deborah Keohane, John Doyle, Katie Mullin, Nancy Swift, John H. Nicholson, Mary Rourke, Katherine Sharkey, Timothy Flanagan, Fred Sharkey and the Eckland sisters, Lillian, Grace and Ann.

The entire show is in charge of William L. Howard. Mr. Timothy Flanagan will be interlocutor and George Freeman of Freeman's orchestra the accompanist. There will be a chorus of 60 mixed voices.

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Huns To Disarm

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cialist parties is now discussing details of the new governmental program.

These points were made by Friedrich Ebert, the new president of Germany, in an informal talk with foreign newspapermen today. They answered questions of American and English correspondents asked after he had read a formal innocuous statement which virtually followed the lines of his address on Wednesday, in which he emphasized Germany's intention to rehabilitate herself.

Ebert Agrees to Answer

President Ebert was informality itself. Seating himself at a large table after having shaken hands with the score of civic pondents present, he read his statement rapidly and then signified his willingness to answer questions.

The question of disarmament was first raised, since reports from the peace conference in Paris indicate that it is occupying a large place in discussions there. President Ebert's answer astonished his hearers by his declaration that a commission was already working on the problem. He said Germany in the future was going to have only an army of defense. It was at the very end of this talk that he admitted that this guard would be raised by conscription and he left the room before further details could be elicited.

To Protect Borders

He said that the assurance that the borders of the country would be protected was absolutely essential although he would welcome universal disarmament, which would make such protection unnecessary. He declared that an understanding had already been reached by which various branches of industry would be united and operated socialistically, adding that only monopolized business would be socialized. In answer to a question relative to foodstuffs in Germany, he said he regarded the situation as very gloomy since the conditions were very hard. Germany, he said, had but a minimum number of foreign securities with which she could purchase food.

Gold Goes to Entente

"Our gold, as the whole world knows, has, in large part, gone to the entente," he said. "All the gold and securities now on hand would not suffice to cover more than the most urgent needs. Germany would be glad to repay honorably and uprightly as soon as possible. If food and raw material are furnished and Germany is given assistance toward rehabilitation, I believe the economic and general situation can be brought into an orderly and progressive path."

Bernstorff Not Going

Count Brockdorf-Rantzau, the foreign minister in the provisional cabinet; Dr. Edouardo David, the president of the national assembly and many persons experienced on economics, he said, would probably attend the peace conference for Germany. "But not Bernstorff" he added instantly to a questioner. It was the first time that Count von Bernstorff's participation which has been advertised freely, was denied authoritatively. The German peace delegation, President Ebert continued, would appear with definite proposals, including plans for a league of nations, workingmen's protective laws and a court to decide international disputes.

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RED LEADERS LIVED IN U. S.

Russian Jews Who Lived Here Few Years Head the Bolshevik Movement

Prof. Dennis Says Reds Plan To Come to America To "Pull Off Same Show"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Members of the Bolshevik central cabinet in Russia were described yesterday by Prof. Ralph Dennis of Northwestern university, testifying at the senate committee's inquiry into lawless agitation in this country, as "fairly able men who truly believed theirs was the best way to bring about heaven on earth."

"But their way to heaven seems to be through hell," commented Senator Wolcott of Delaware.

Mr. Dennis, who was a Y.M.C.A. worker and consular agent in Russia from the fall of 1917 until last September, said there was no real sympathy between Germans and the Russian reds but "each group was trying to use the other." The Bolsheviki throughout Russia, he added, believed that the end justified the means.

Their theory, he said, might be expressed: "If you are not a Bolshevik, get out. If you work against us, we will kill you."

He said he was impressed that men in positions of power among the Bolsheviki were to a great extent Russian Jews who had lived in America for a few years.

"These men," he said, "were the most bitter and implacable Bolsheviki in their desire to exterminate the bourgeois class."

Chairman Overman asked: "Do you know of any effort to bring that propaganda into this country?"

"I could not go into a court and prove it," replied the witness, "but after going to meetings in Chicago there is no question about the desire to bring about that scheme of government in America."

He described a meeting in the Chicago Coliseum, where an audience cheered the names of Lenine and Trotzky for five minutes and every comment by speakers to the effect that America would be the next nation to adopt the soviet system of government. The witness added that he saw no difference between the I.W.W. and the Bolsheviki in the ends they seek to accomplish.

Mr. Dennis said one Bolshevik official, a former resident of the United States, in bidding him good-bye in Russia, said:

"I'll see you in about 10 years. We are coming over to America and pull off this same show."

Mr. Dennis said that from his observations, he believed that persons interested in spreading Bolshevik propaganda probably have a pretty good organization extending from New York to San Francisco, with the country divided up into sections and certain men in charge of each section."

Questioned as to the attitude of Raymond Robins, head of the American Red Cross mission to Russia, concerning the Bolsheviki, Mr. Dennis said:

"As I understood Mr. Robins at that time (in Russia) his attitude was that of recognition of the Bolsheviki because they were the people in control. They seemed to be the only people who could run the show. He knew them all and kept in close touch with them."

Robert Leonard of Minnesota, formerly a Y.M.C.A. secretary and consular agent in Russia, described his experiences at the Russian front and in prison, where he was thrown for a few weeks by the Bolsheviki.

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HON. CHARLES O'CONNOR COMING

Hon. Charles S. O'Connor, of Boston, one of the ablest young orators in the Hub, will respond to a toast at the Washington day dinner of Bishop Delany, general assembly, fourth degree Knights of Columbus, according to an announcement made today. With the additional presence of Lieut. Paul Hines of the famous 26th Division, the assembly is fortunate, indeed, in its program of speakers. Mr. O'Connor is well informed and a close student of government and economic problems and the invitation to come to Lowell just nosed in ahead of a similar invitation from New York. As an after-dinner speaker, who talks with deep and absorbing interest, Mr. O'Connor has few equals and hence his response to a toast at the fourth degree dinner will be eagerly awaited.

HELPED TO FRAME CASE AGAINST MISS CAVELL

PARIS, Feb. 14.—French military authorities now hold, on a charge of dealing with the enemy, a man named Krein, who is alleged to have played a leading role in the tragedy in which Miss Edith Cavell lost her life.

A report made for Judge Advocate Grebault by Police Inspector Cholet states that Krein was in jail at St. Quentin at the beginning of the war. He was released by the Germans and went to the mansion of Prince and Princess Croy, in Belgium, and denounced them as having aided French prisoners of war to escape. As a result, the princess was condemned to 10 years' imprisonment at hard labor.

Krein is said to have then gone to Brussels, where he went into Miss Cavell's hospital service and helped to "work up" the case against her.

DANCE IN MIDST OF TERRIBLE MISERY

BERNE, Feb. 13 (By the Associated Press).—Dancing reigns supreme in Munich, despite the fact that coal, electricity and gas are lacking in the city and 10,000 persons are unemployed, wires the special correspondent in Berne of the Journal Geneve. The local newspapers protest against this orgy of amusement in the midst of terrible misery, but publish columns of advertisements of balls and dances in the hotels and cafes. Dances are even held in the former branch of the Krupp works.

$40,000 WORTH OF DRUGS SEIZED

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Between $30,000 and $40,000 worth of morphine and other drugs was seized by federal agents yesterday in a raid on the Rest Cure Sanitorium. Dr. Moritz Lowenthal was arrested on charges of unlawfully disposing of narcotics.

NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

The list of New England boys on the casualty list today does not include the names of any Lowell boys.

Died From Accident and Other Causes

Ser. Harry Brenker, 50 East Albert st., Torrington, Conn.

Wounded Severely

Ser. Jos. Brown, Terryville, Conn.
Ser. Wm. H. Marshall, 12 Gladstone st., Everett, Mass.
Cor. James R. Conroy, 145 Church st., New Britain, Conn.
Cor. Harry A. Griffith, 56 Ridgton ave., New Haven, Conn.
Cor. Paul G. Houstvet, 21 Bay View st., Quincy, Mass.
Cook Edw. J. Boggis, 46 Park st., Nashua, N. H.
Sea., Y.M.C.A. John B. Voorhees, 8854 Asylum ave., Hartford, Conn.
Pr. Jas. J. Cashman, 62 Columbia road, Swampscott, Mass.
Pr. James S. Cassidy, 35 South Main st., Ipswich, Mass.
Pr. John Christofore, 321 Revere st., Revere, Mass.
Pr. Jas. E. Connelly, 28 Raven st., Dorchester, Mass.
Pr. Harry Egan, Stamford, Conn.
Pr. Reuben S. Graves, R.F.D., No. 3, Nashua, N. H.
Pr. Levi O. Peterson, Bradley ave., Orange, Conn.
Pr. Wm. Zapaswick, 13 Sudbury court, Maynard, Mass.

Killed in Action

Bug. Clifford K. Meekins, 56 Derby st., West Newton, Mass.
Pr. John J. Conners, 79 Bridge st., Portsmouth, N. H.
Pr. Harold V. Fatrimium, So. Attleboro, Mass.

Died From Wounds

Cor. Clifford Cormier, 32 East Earl st., New Bedford, Mass.
Pr. Noel L. Bearor, 3 Clymer st., Burlington, Vt.
Pr. Anthony Dzierkocz, 116 Jefferson ave., Everett, Mass.
Pr. Sebastian Zuna, 67 Borden st., West Newton, Mass.

Died of Disease

Ser. Herman Gustafson, Proctor, Vt.
Pr. Otis C. Reed, Gorham, N. H.

Wounded Severely

Pr. Joe C. Raciaiupo, R.F.D., Box 33, Athol, Mass.
Pr. Frank R. Carlson, 40 Rockwell ave., Stamford, Conn.
Pr. Wm. C. Chippendale, 15 Harvard st., Fall River, Mass.
Pr. James Foley, 11 Marcella st., Cambridge, Mass.
Pr. James L. Leonard, 30 Dickinson st., Somerville, Mass.
Pr. Alfred Sibley, West Buxton, Me.

Missing in Action, Previously Reported Wounded Severely in Action

Cor. Michael J. McGrath, 283 Charles st., Malden, Mass.
Pr. John J. Keefe, Cottage st., New Hartford, Conn.

Killed in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Cor. John P. Duggan, 51 Melvin st., Wakefield, Mass.
Pr. Carl L. Coombs, 250 Lowell st., Reading, Mass.

Died From Wounds Received in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Cor. David Gallon, 3½ East Main st., North Adams, Mass.

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Wounded Severely in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Zenzupas Cervaicjun, Enfield, Conn.

Wounded in Action (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Wm. E. Kenealy, 18 Edwin st., Dorchester, Mass.
Pr. Earl S. Randall, Felchville, Vt.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Ser. Israel Abramhoff, 346 Eastern ave., Malden, Mass.
Pr. Wm. Lonergan, 312 Plain st., Providence, R. I.
Pr. Fred Munroe, 3 Contoocook st., Haverhill, Mass.
Pr. Samuel J. Swain, Springfield st., Three Rivers, Mass.

Erroneously Reported Wounded Severely in Action

Ser. Frank Kartz, 345 Main st., Indian Orchard, Mass.
Pr. John Beranski, 54 Harvard st., Boston, Mass.

REPORTS OF HARDSHIPS ENDURED BY ALLIES IN SIBERIA UNTRUE

VLADIVOSTOK, Monday, Feb. 10.—(By Canadian Press)—Published reports of hardships endured by allied troops in Siberia this winter are untrue, an investigation by the correspondent shows. Canadian troops held in Vladivostok are well housed in comfortable barracks and the weather on the Siberian coast is milder than in eastern Canada. Their health has been excellent.

The British units at Omsk suffered from severe cold. The chief complaint is of the infrequency of mail service and lack of home news.

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THE LOCAL NEAR EAST CAMPAIGN

Total of Over $2200 Reported at Luncheon Today in Memorial Hall

Brewer Eddy Speaker—Drive Is Not Yet in Full Swing Here

A total of $2251.40 was reported by team workers in the local campaign for the near east at the first noonday luncheon in Memorial hall today. The city's quota is $50,000 and the drive will continue two weeks.

Brewer Eddy was the speaker. He brought his characteristic enthusiasm and energy to the luncheon and gave most hearty encouragement to the several hundred team workers present.

Today's comparatively meagre reports were anticipated. Barely 25 per cent of the teams made any report at all and it was clearly evident that the drive had not yet got in full swing although it opened Monday. The next meeting will be Monday noon.

The largest team subscription to be reported today was that of Team 16, representing St. Anne's church. A total of $835 was reported from this source. The Kirk Street Congregational church was second with a total of $209.

Out of 40 city teams only 13 reported and of 21 towns only three had anything to say.

The luncheon opened promptly and while an enjoyable meal was being served Albert Edmund Brown led in the singing of popular numbers.

Shortly after 12.30 Otto Hockmeyer, manager of the campaign, called for team reports and the results were as follows:

Team	Parish	Amt.
3	First Primitive Methodist	$ 77
4	St. Columba's	44
5	First Presbyterian	126
8	Worthen Street Baptist	107
10	Eliot Congregational	159
11	Centralville Methodist	31
16	St. Anne's	$35
17	Westminster Presbyterian	60
18	Grace Universalist	50
20	Kirk Street Congregational	209
21	Pawtucket Congregational	122
22	First Christian Science	131
25	First Congregational	100

The Towns

Dracut	$100
Billerica	50
Chelmsford	88

Following the announcement of the reports Mr. Hockmeyer introduced Dr. Eddy, who said in opening that the country had recently been swept by two epidemics—one called Influenza and the other "Um-thru-enza." The latter, he said, was the more dangerous. It has been found on every side following the close of the world war and it is what campaigners must buck up against in the present drive. People like to feel that the giving is all over, that they're through, but this is not the case and the policy of "America for Americans only" must be discarded if the ideals for which Americans fought in the war are to be upheld.

Dr. Eddy said that Lowell will have lost her soul if she fails to respond to this appeal. If Lowell achieves her purpose on this drive she will have lifted herself out of the danger slough of "Um-thru-enza."

Dr. Eddy said that there has been considerable criticism as to where the money was to be spent. Four millions of it have already been expended, he said. Three transports have gone to Armenia carrying supplies and food and 50 automobiles, eight tractors, all of which are to be manned by former members of the U. S. aviation corps, 25 doctors, 55 nurses and any quantity of disinfectants.

The government has given the work every encouragement. Some of the things that must be done in the way of relief include bringing back refugees to their own towns, starting public works and offering small wages, giving women wool and cotton to make clothing for the thousands of orphans in the country, establishing soup kitchens and bread lines and rebuilding villages.

Dr. Eddy was roundly applauded at the conclusion of his address and following brief remarks by Mr. Hockmeyer, the meeting adjourned until next Monday noon.

CATCH TWO MEN WITH TWENTY-FIVE QUARTS OF WHISKEY AT NASHUA

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 14.—Charged with bringing liquor into the state, Kazemer Pirakonus and Julius Kliatnikie were arrested last evening as they got off the train from Lowell. They were carrying 25 quarts of whiskey into this city. The pair was taken to Concord today for arraignment before the U. S. commissioner there.

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Solicitor Says City Can Build Edson School Addition on South Common

School Board Proposes New 30-Room School at Net Cost of $260,000

It would be a wholly practicable proposition for the school committee of this city to erect an addition to the Edson school on the South common, according to an opinion rendered today by City Solicitor Wm. D. Regan to Richard Brabrook Walsh, chairman of the school committee. Mr. Regan adds that as the proposed construction will bring the addition out on to the South common proper, it will be necessary to secure a release of a certain condition from the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals and he believes this release can readily be obtained. If, on the other hand, the Locks and Canals refuse to grant this release, the city may take the land needed through the process of eminent domain.

Mr. Regan's opinion in full, as submitted this afternoon, follows:

February 12, 1919.

Richard E. Walsh, Esq., Chairman,
School Committee, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:

Beg to acknowledge your communication of Feb. 7, 1919, wherein you propound the following query:

"Whether the city of Lowell holds title to the land now occupied by the Edson school, and to the South common adjoining, under such conditions as would make it possible legally to erect an addition to said school thereon?"

The answer thereto, of course, depends upon the conditions, limitations and restrictions, if any there are, in the grant or grants of land to the city of Lowell embracing the premises referred to in your query. On Aug. 1, 1837, there was deeded to the city of Lowell by the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals on Merrimack river a certain parcel of land located on the road then called High street and now called Highland street. The amount of the land conveyed was ten thousand square feet, and upon this conveyance the present Edson school was erected. That conveyance was without any condition, limitation or restriction. On the 12th day of May, 1845, the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals conveyed to the city of Lowell a tract of land containing 807,749 square feet of land bounded by Thorndike street, Summer street, South street and land of Patrick and Ellen Manice, and a road called High street, now called Highland street, and land of the city of Lowell previously conveyed by the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals on the Merrimack river, upon which was erected the Edson school. This conveyance was made upon the express condition that no building shall ever be erected upon said premises.

On June 7, 1856, there was conveyed to the city of Lowell a smaller parcel of land containing 4400 square feet by Patrick and Ellen Manice. This parcel was bounded by South street and by the land conveyed by the said proprietors of Locks and Canals, last before referred to. At the present time there are about 2000 feet of the land originally granted by the said proprietors that are not enclosed in the fence surrounding the Edson school, and of course this can be built upon and is not subject to any condition. On the other hand there is a part of the Edson school which projects out and upon the land granted subject to the condition that no building shall be erected thereon, and that is the land granted in the conveyance of May 12, 1845.

If it is proposed by the school committee to construct an addition to the Edson school that will bring the buildings or the addition out on to the South common proper, that is the tract conveyed on May 12, 1845, it will be necessary to secure a release of the condition from said proprietors for such an amount of land as is needed for the construction of the school. This undoubtedly will be granted by the proprietors of Locks and Canals, because they can have no material interest now in the premises demised many years ago. They released the condition on land granted for the North common for the purpose of erecting an engine house. This being a laudable and commendable purpose,—the continuation of the school system of the city,—and that being a location, owing to the common surrounding it, far superior to the average location secured for school houses, undoubtedly the proprietors of Locks and Canals on Merrimack river will gladly release the condition expressed in the grant, insofar as the construction of the school is concerned. If, however, said proprietors decline to release the condition for the object above set forth, while I have not examined the law on the subject recently, I believe it would be proper and feasible to make a taking of the interest, if any exists, that the said proprietors have in the premises, by the process of eminent domain and thereby conclude the fee of the land absolutely in the city of Lowell, so that the land shall vest in said city without any restrictions, limitations or conditions. I believe, however, that the matter properly presented to said proprietors would cause them to release such interests as they have, and thus avoid the necessity of exercising by the city the right of eminent domain.

Sincerely yours,
WILLIAM D. REGAN,
City Solicitor.

Start at Once

In commenting on Mr. Regan's opinion, Chairman Walsh of the school committee said this afternoon that work should be started on the proposition at once as the city solicitor has shown the proposition to be practicable. The Edson school matter is not a new fad with the committee, he said, as it is something that should have been done six years ago. The superintendent of schools in every annual report for the past five or six years has urged the need of an addition to the school.

"If the city is advancing an expansive building program," continued Mr. Walsh, "it seems to me that the Edson school proposition comes ahead of the public auditorium.

"Furthermore, it would be a practicable scheme to tear down the present Edson school building and erect a modern 30-room structure in its place. By so doing it could do away with seven unsatisfactory school buildings in addition to the Edson school itself. These are the Eliot school at Summer and Favor streets, the Charles street primary school and Colburn primary school in Charles street, the Colburn grammar school, the Ames street primary school at Lawrence and Ames streets, the Central street school in Central street and the Lyons street school, only a short distance away on the same street.

"All these schools are within a stone's throw of each other. With the exception of the Colburn school, they are wooden buildings. Most of them have only four rooms. They are old buildings and wearing out rapidly. Surely, if the school committee were looking for a site for a new school today, it would never choose the land on which the present Colburn school is located.

What It Will Cost

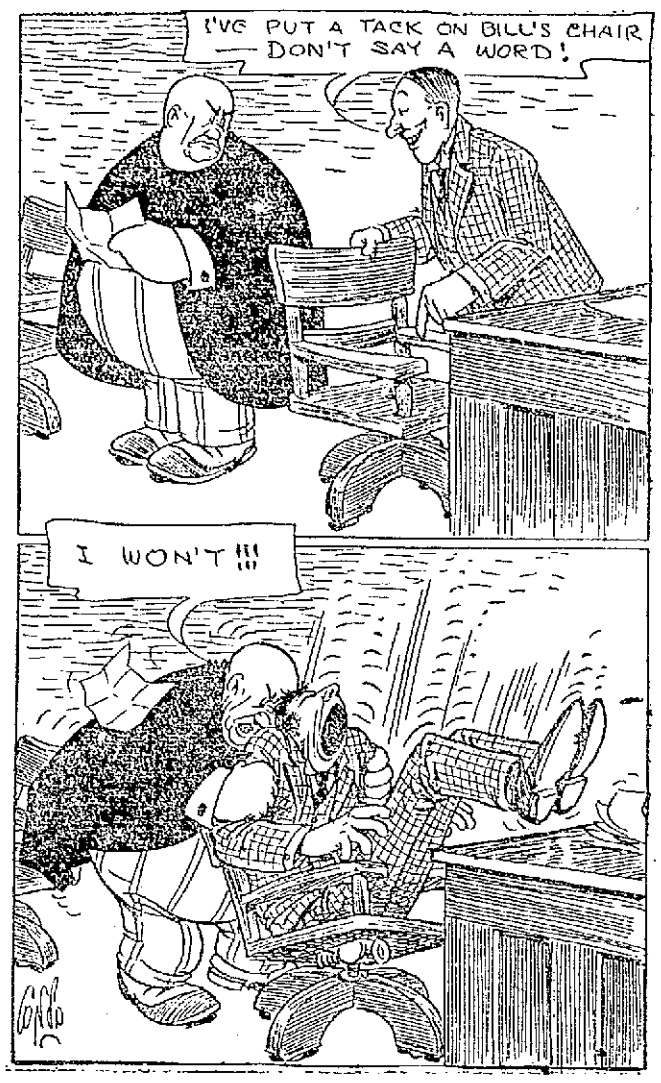
"The assessed valuation of all the land on which these buildings stand is approximately $25,000. If the lands and buildings were sold, it is a conservative estimate to say that $10,000 would be realized.

"It is proposed that a new 30-room building be constructed on the land where the present Edson school now stands with whatever additional land is necessary. This could be done at a roughly estimated cost of $1000 per room or $30,000. This would include corridors, hall, etc. Now, if we realize $40,000 on the lands and buildings already owned by the city, this would be deducted from the cost of the new building and $260,000 would build a new modern school.

"The city would then have a fireproof, clean, bright, sanitary building. There would be opportunity to grade a large number of children into classes under one central administration. The overhead expenses would be considerably reduced—to such an extent, it is estimated, that the school would pay for itself in 20 years in a financial sense and in the interim pay big dividends in the training and care which could be given children.

"I am in favor of starting this proposition tomorrow morning, if that could be done. The city owes it to itself and its school children."

MR. EVERETT TRUE



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COMMUNICATION

Feb. 12, 1919.

Editor, Sun.

Dear Sir: The operators of the local exchange would appreciate it very much if you would allow space in your valuable paper for the following communication:

The local telephone operators are justly aroused over the cynical impression of a telephone operator at work as enacted in the play "It Happened in Lowell." The whole gist of the play produced a decidedly incorrect impression of the local operators. The leading character of the above-mentioned burlesque proved to be a chaotic combination of "wads of gum," "Bowery slang," "scandal receptors," and other unfavorable impressions.

Now the operators concede that it was not the malicious intention in the writing and production of this play to create such a crude personality as an animated reflection on the local operators. Nevertheless they do deery the lack of tact shown by the parties responsible for the fiasco.

The success of the efforts of the operators to maintain their "service first" motto, is too hard won to have their calling made an object of ridicule.

We thank you, Mr. Editor, in advance for your kindness in allowing this protest to reach the public, and remain Yours respectfully,

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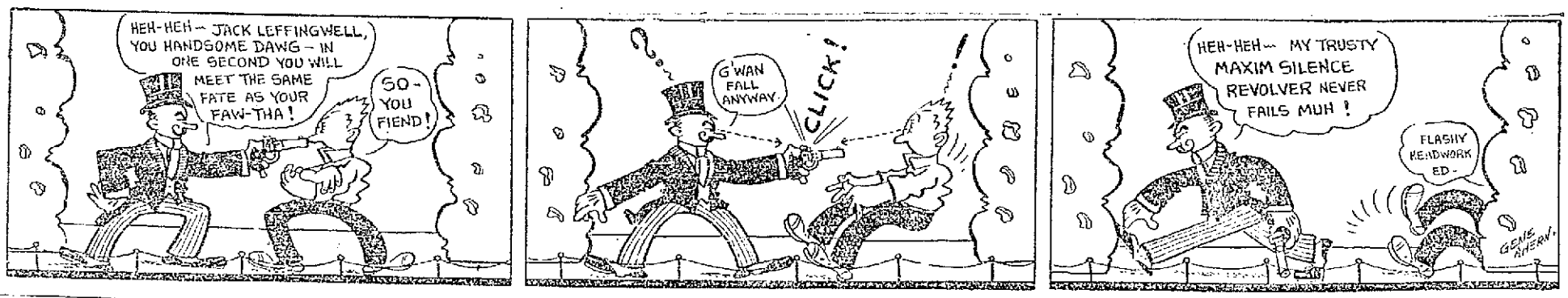
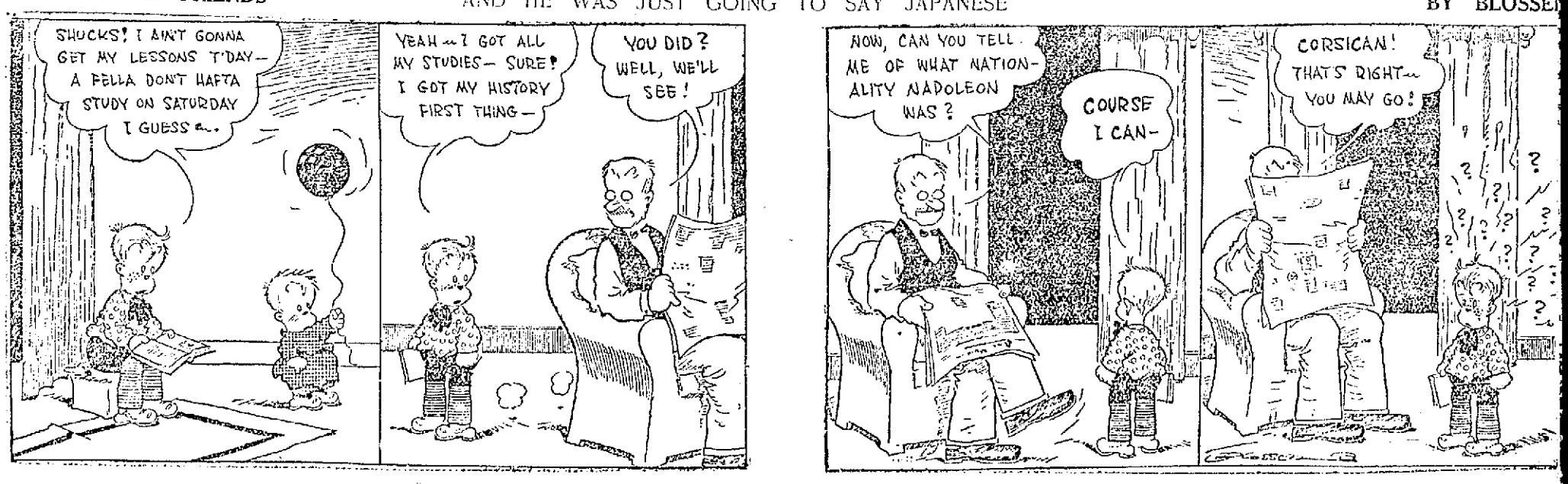


FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — AND HE WAS JUST GOING TO SAY JAPANESE — BY BLOSSER



SAYS ALLIES TO QUIT RUSSIA

Sen. Hitchcock Predicts Withdrawal of Troops After Conference

Sen. Lodge Calls Campaign Waste of American Lives —Hot Debate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Prediction that the proposed conference at Princes' Islands between representatives of the victorious associated nations and the contending Russian factions would result in an agreement for withdrawal from Russia of American and allied troops was made in the senate yesterday by Senator Hitchcock, chairman of the foreign relations committee during another spirited debate on the American policy toward Russia.

Senator Hitchcock said he believed all the foreign expeditions in Russia "would come out together," under an agreement with the Russian representatives, which would prevent "butchery of troops left in Russia which have been friendly to the allies."

Discussion of the Russian situation was opened by Senator Johnson, republican, of California, who asked for immediate action on his resolution which put the senate on record as favoring withdrawal of the American Russian expedition as soon as practicable.

Lodge and Lewis Clash

After vehement argument and clashes between Senators Hitchcock and Johnson, objection by the former to an immediate vote sent the resolution to the calendar, with a majority vote necessary for its further consideration.

Senator Johnson declared last night after the senate had adjourned that he would continue his fight daily until congress adjourns March 4, by introducing new resolutions as required by parliamentary rules.

During the day's debate, the sharpest of many months in the senate, Republican Leader Lodge and Senator Lewis of Illinois, democratic whip, differed regarding the statement of Premier Lloyd George to parliament that the American government had refused to send more troops to Russia. Senator Lodge said the premier's announcement apparently was authentic and was the first definite statement as to the American policy, while Senator Lewis insisted that Mr. Lloyd George was divulging the decision of the supreme war council and not merely the American policy.

Johnson Resents Bolshevist Charge

In asking immediate consideration of his resolution Senator Johnson made another impassioned attack on the policy of American intervention in Russia, denouncing it as "unusual, vicious and criminal."

Disclaiming sympathy with the Bolshevik government and denouncing their atrocities, Senator Johnson resented a suggestion from Senator Hitchcock that he acted as a "champion" of the Bolshevik element in Russia.

Senator Hitchcock made his reference in presenting the friendly message sent by President Wilson to the Soviet government and the reply, which Senator Hitchcock denounced as "practically an insult" and German propaganda designed to incite rebellion in this country.

Defending American intervention in Russia, Senator Hitchcock said it was an anti-German military move agreed upon with the allied governments. He asserted that the Johnson resolution would not expedite withdrawal of the American forces and favored its reference to the foreign relations committee.

Waste of American Lives, Says Lodge

Both Senators Johnson and Lodge emphasized that Mr. Lloyd George had given what they termed the first authentic statement of the American policy in Russia. Mr. Lodge declared that the Siberian expedition was justified, but said the intervention was too weak to be forceful. He said the northern Russian expedition was "a pure waste of American lives," and the expedition should have been withdrawn when the armistice was signed.

Senator Johnson charged that his original resolution, introduced last December, asking for an official statement of the American policy regarding Russia had been "bottled up" in the foreign relations committee. Senator Hitchcock denied this, and Senator Lodge supported him in the statement that this resolution had been carefully considered, but that a majority of the committee opposed reporting it to the senate.

Some time after the Johnson resolution was sent to the calendar, Senator Lewis revived the subject by deploring an impression which he said might be gained from Senator Lodge's comment on Premier Lloyd George's statement.

Had Information the Senate Lacked

"It may be charged," said Senator Lewis, "that this country has to look to England for a statement of American policy. Such a statement if accepted at its face value would rob the president of the confidence of the people who might assume the United States had yielded its policies to England.

"In a matter where the allied council has acted, it is natural that any of the council should speak. The president has spoken the policy of the league of nations. Lloyd George is spokesman of one of the trinity of powers. Lloyd George spoke as one of the council and of the policy of the council and was not speaking of the policy of this country."

Senator Lodge denied that Lloyd George was outlining the war council's policy and insisted that he was stating, if quoted correctly, the American policy.

"I suppose he got his information from the president while he was at Paris," said Mr. Lodge. "Not that he was dictating American policy, but he had information that we had not."

SERVICE MEN'S BILL PASSES SENATE

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—The bill to appropriate $10,000 for aiding returning soldiers, sailors and Marines to find employment was passed to be engrossed in the state senate yesterday afternoon after a sharp debate.

Discussion started when Senator Beck of Chelsea sought to have an amendment adopted which would provide for a committee of the legislature, instead of the members of the executive council, to join the governor's own committee in carrying out the purposes of this order.

Senator Beck said if the executive council were to be given such authority it would have greater power than the constitution intended it should have. He charged the council with having "interposed unduly" at a time when a drive was made against paying members of recess committees $1000 "despite the fact that the general court desired that sum paid, in that it appropriated money to that extent."

Senator Guiford of the Cape and Plymouth district said the measure had been hastened through both branches because it was the general belief that all elements in the community desired decisive action.

Senator Cavanaugh of Everett, indorsing the amendment, said the passage of the order in its original form would result in the appointment of some board "composed of experts who will give the boys advice as to what sort of work they are fitted for, but no jobs."

Senator Churchill of Amherst expressed the opinion that it would be inconsistent if the senate, after having acceded to the governor's wishes in the past, were to say to him that it was unwilling the money be spent partly under his direction.

By a rollcall vote of 17 to 14 the amendment was rejected. The bill was thereupon passed to be engrossed.

Liquor License Bill

Bills authorizing the issue of liquor licenses for part of a year and authorizing Canton to incur indebtedness to the extent of $70,000 to meet loss of funds by the defalcation of a town official, were passed to be engrossed.

The committee on legal affairs reported recommending leave to withdraw on the bill permitting public six-round boxing bouts in cities of more than 40,000 inhabitants. A similar report was made by the committee on public health on the petition of the Dorchester board of trade to make tenants as well as landlords liable for the sanitary condition of buildings.

The joint committee on rules reported recommending several changes in the joint rules, all of which are designed to conform with the requirements of the initiative and referendum amendment of the constitution, adopted by the voters last fall.

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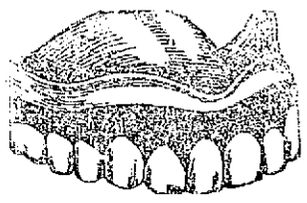

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SECOND FLOOR

President Wilson Reads Covenant on League of Nations

Continued

territorial integrity and political independence of all states members of the league, against external aggression. In case of any such aggression or any threat or danger of such aggression, the executive council shall advise upon the means by which the obligations of the members shall be fulfilled.

PROVIDES FOR ARBITRATION

The high contracting parties reserve the right to take any action to safeguard the peace of nations in the case of war or threat of war. In the case of disputes arising between them which diplomacy cannot adjust, the high contracting parties will not resort to war without submitting to arbitration or to any inquiry by the executive council and until three months after action by the arbitrators or the executive council.

COURT OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE

The executive council shall formulate plans for the establishment of a permanent court of international justice.

The covenant says that the maintenance of peace will require the reduction of armaments to the lowest point consistent with national safety and the enforcement of international obligations by common action.

REDUCTION OF ARMAMENTS

The executive council shall fix the extent of armaments and these shall not be exceeded without the permission of the council.

It is agreed that the private manufacture of munitions and implements of war "lends itself to grave objections." The executive council is directed to give advice on the abatement of this evil.

The contracting parties undertake not to conceal their ability to produce munitions and armaments and agree on a full interchange of information as to military and naval programs.

VIOLATIONS ON ACT OF WAR

Article XVI provides that if any party breaks or disregards its covenants under Article XII, which provides for arbitration or inquiry by the executive council, it shall be deemed to have committed an act of war against all the other members who will take economic and financial measures against it. These measures will refer both to members of the league and those who are not members.

In such a case it will be the duty of the executive council to recommend the amount of naval forces which each member of the league shall contribute to the armed forces necessary to protect the covenants of the league.

The members of the league agree to support one another financially and economically in any measure taken and also to afford passage through their territory of any forces necessary to carry out the covenants of the league.

In disputes between a member of the league and a state not a member or between states not members of the league, the contracting parties agree that the states not members of the league shall be invited to lay their disputes before the league.

Supervise Traffic in Arms

If states invited to allow the league to adjust their disputes refuse, any action against a state a member of the league would be deemed to be an act of war against all the other members of the league.

The contracting parties agree that the league shall have general supervision of traffic in arms and ammunition with countries in which such traffic would be against the common interest.

Colonies and territories removed from the sovereignty of the states which formerly governed them and not yet able to stand by themselves shall become the trust of civilization.

The tutelage of such countries shall be entrusted to the advanced nations which can best undertake this responsibility acting as mandatories in behalf of the league.

Permanent Bureau of Labor

The contracting parties will endeavor to secure and maintain fair and human conditions of labor for men, women, and children and agree to establish as part of the organization of the league a permanent bureau of labor.

Freedom of the Seas

The members of the league agree to secure and maintain freedom of transit and equitable treatment for the commerce of all members of the league.

It is also agreed to place under control of the league of international bureaus general treaties of the parties to the treaties consent.

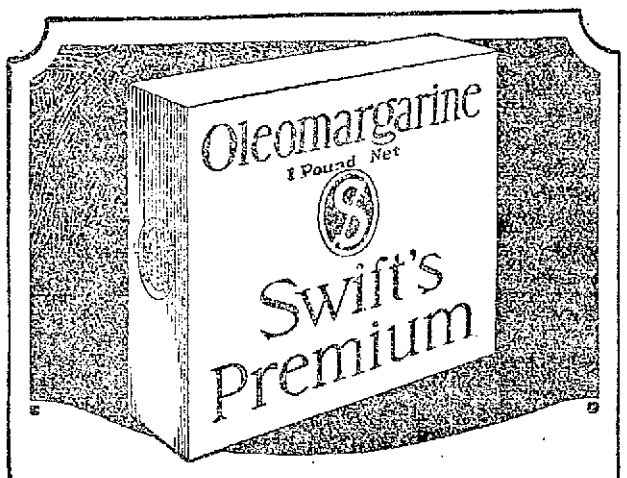
Obligations Abrogated

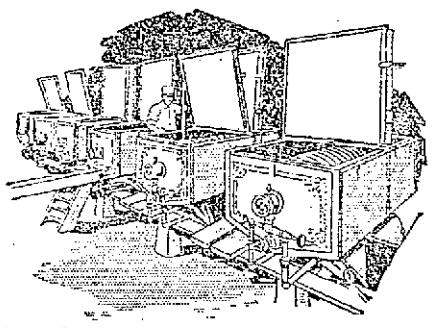
All treaties or international engagements entered into hereafter by a member of the league shall be registered with the secretary-general and shall not be binding until registered.

The contracting parties agree that the covenant abrogates all obligations among themselves which are inconsistent with the terms of the covenant. They engage that hereafter they shall not enter into any engagement inconsistent with the covenant.

If any member shall enter into engagements inconsistent with the covenant, it shall be the duty of such power to secure its release from such obligations.

The concluding article provides that amendments to the covenant shall take effect when ratified by the states represented in the executive council and by three-fourths of the states whose representatives compose the body of the delegates.





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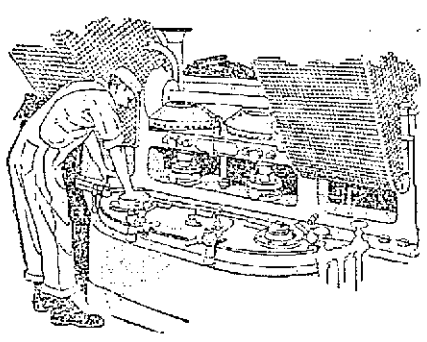

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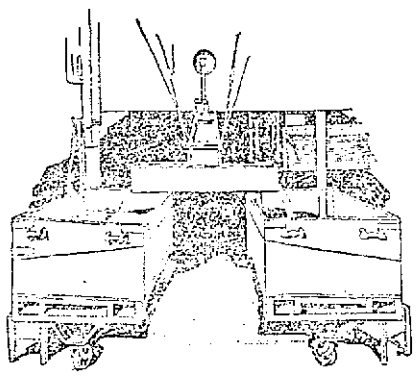

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"Not Touched by Hand"

The illustrations in this advertisement visualize the process of manufacturing Swift's Premium Oleomargarine.

It is not touched by hand in manufacture or packing.

The machinery is sterilized daily with hot water and live steam.

Swift's Premium Oleomargarine
Is Sweet, Pure and Clean

It contains the elements for growth which all children require.

It is delicious. It is wholesome.

Swift's Premium Oleomargarine is easy to buy. It is the most widely distributed brand.

It saves 20 cents or more a pound.

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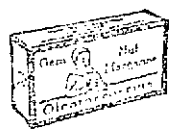

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Lowell Local Branch, 572 Dutton St.
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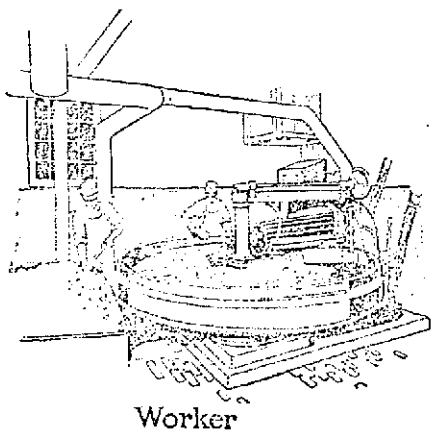

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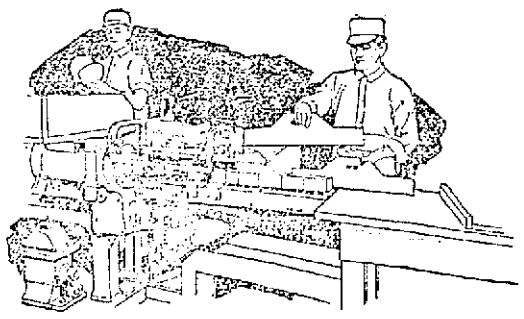

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LIKE BOLT FROM HEAVEN'S BLUE

A happy discovery of Cincinnati chemist interests women here

Your high heels have put corns on your toes and calluses on your feet, but why care now?

A genius in Cincinnati discovered a magic ether compound and named it freezone. A quarter ounce of this freezone can now be had at any drug store for a few cents. Apply a few drops on your tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so shriveled and loose that you lift it off with your fingers.

Just think! You get rid of a hard corn, soft corn or a corn between the toes, as well as hardened calluses for a few cents and without suffering one particle, without the slightest irritation of the surrounding skin. Just a touch of this marvelous freezone on a sore, troublesome corn gives instant relief.—Adv.

ENGLAND FACES SERIOUS CRISIS

Veteran Labor Leaders Warn Government That Quick Action Is Necessary

Domestic Problems Command More Attention Than Peace Conference

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The demands of miners and railway men, with the high cost of food and other problems of domestic reconstruction, command more attention from the newspapers than the peace conference. The veteran labor leaders, William Brace and J. H. Thomas, told the house of commons last night that the country would be confronted by the most serious crisis in recent history if these problems were not dealt with immediately.

After the decision of the miners' federation to call for a strike ballot, the federation has issued an official reply to the government's statement regarding the miners' demands. This document charges the government with trying to turn public opinion against the miners and refuses to accept the data upon which the government based its offer of a shilling a day increase in wages. It says the miners' demands for a 30 per cent increase, with a six hour day, is designed to raise their standard of living and not solely to meet the increased cost of living. These points are supported by long arguments, while the demand for the nationalization of the mining industry is reiterated.

Most of the newspapers consider that the government is dealing very reasonably with the miners, and say that the miners are unreasonable in placing a short time limit for a decision on a policy like nationalization, which may mean the changing of the basic foundations of the industry, upon which other important industries largely depend.

The influence of Robert Smillie, the miners' leader, is so great that his advice to members of the federation to vote in favor of a strike is likely to be adopted unless the tension is relieved during the month that the ballot is held up, pending some acceptable compromise. In the event of a strike the Mail's labor expert remarks, the country may be confronted by a "wholesale industrial disaster and such suffering among the poor as even the war failed to inflict."

In the meantime, negotiations between the Transport Workers' Federation and the employers seem to have although a break has not come as yet, reached something like an impasse.

DANCE AT JEWISH WELFARE HUT

Doughboys still limping as the result of getting in the way of some Hun shrapnel; doughboys proudly wearing on their breast the Croix de Guerre; and just plain doughboys, who went overseas to do their bit to make the world safe for democracy, made up the gathering which packed the Jewish Welfare hut at Camp Devens last evening and tripped the light fantastic with over two score Lowell young women of the Y.W.H.A., who had journeyed to the cantonment to take their part in the event.

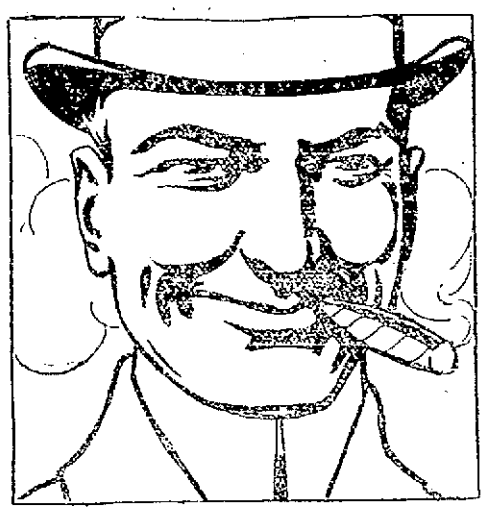
The affair was run under the auspices of the local Jewish Welfare board and was unanimously pronounced one of the most successful parties, from the boys' point of view, that this organization has conducted at the cantonment. The music was furnished by a jazz orchestra composed of colored troopers, who had all seen service overseas, and was all that could be desired.

The committee in charge of the affair was composed of Mrs. I. Green, Mrs Bennett Silverblatt, Mrs. Louis Carp, Miss Mae Levine, Mrs. Ida Frank, Miss Dorothy Braverman and Miss Fannie Silverblatt.

FINANCE DEPT. STATEMENT

The December, 1918, statement of the finance department has just been issued and contains a number of items of general interest.

In the mayor's department there appears the fact that $110 was expended for a new typewriter. Dwyer & Co. were paid $128 on their contract for painting the isolation hospital. Various expenses associated with the influenza epidemic amount to $7064.32. The largest item included is the bill plaid to the Page Catering Co. for lunches, amounting to $1101.57.



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When father is well fed, also when he knows he has a thrifty housekeeper. You can be thrifty and still be a good provider if you trade at FAIRBURN'S.

CHICKENS
Fresh Killed, Fatted Stock, Pound..... 43c
LEGS OF MILK FED VEAL 25c Lb.

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BLUE TIP MATCHES — Will strike anywhere. No afterglow. 5 for 26c

HEINZ TOMATO KETCHUP (33c size) 27c

ELGIN BUTTER 53c
Fancy Creamery, lb.....
FRESH EGGS 53c
Every egg guaranteed good, doz.....
TOILET SOAP 5c
Snowberry—it floats—100% pure. Cake.....
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 75c
12-lb. bag; easy to carry.....

BREAD
FRESH FROM THE OVEN
LARGE LOAF
1 Pound, 8 Oz. Weight
Loaf 12½c
FOR SATURDAY ONLY

PORK ROASTS 30c
Light pig pork, any size, lb.....
FRESH SHOULDERS 27c
Small—4 to 6 lbs.—Lb.....
CALVES' LIVER 25c
Freshly cut and very tender, lb.....
PICKLES 10c
Dawson brand, medium size, jar.....
BAKED BEANS 17c
Van Camp's, 22c size, can.....

TANGO SARDINES (Ravigot style) Nicely spiced and very appetizing. 15c Value 2 Cans 25c

GEISHA CRABMEAT Finest crabmeat packed—all white meat. One Pound Size 70c Can

SIRLOIN ROASTS 35c
As fine as you ever ate, lb.....
RIB ROASTS 25c
Cut from heavy beef, lb.....
LEGS OF LAMB 42c
Rather high this week—but good—Lb.....
FOWL 42c
Freshly killed, fancy, lb.....
ALL STEAKS ARE LOWER

FANCY VEGETABLES
NATIVE SPINACH, pk.....15c
SWEET POTATOES, lb.....10c
FANCY WASHED CARROTS, 3 lbs. 10c
CAULIFLOWER, lb.....12½c
ONIONS, large, lb.....1c
TOMATOES and DANDELIONS

FLORIDA ORANGES 49c
Large Pineapple brand, doz.....
GRAPEFRUIT 25c
Choice fruit—3 for.....
POP CORN 15c
1-lb. packages, each.....

"Leda" Coffee at 35c Is Cheap

FAIRBURN'S
12-14 MERRIMACK STREET
On the Square Where You Get Your Car

WOMAN HELD IN $6000

Six Additional Charges of Breaking and Entering and Larceny Against Girl

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Six additional charges of breaking and entering and larceny were preferred today in the Roxbury district court against Mabel E. Norris, who was arrested last week, charged with the theft of jewelry and clothing from several women's educational institutions and clubs in the Back Bay district. She pleaded not guilty to the latest accusations and was held for the grand jury. At the request of the police, bail was increased from $5000 to $6000, and she was sent to jail in default of bonds.

Police officers from Wellesley and Arlington were in court today with warrants charging the young woman, who is but 19 years of age, with larcenies in those towns.

Officers have been able to learn little regarding the girl since her arrest.

RETAIN WAR WAGES

Plea Made in Reconstruction Report by National Catholic War Council

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Adoption of minimum wage schedules, maintenance in general of the wage levels attained during the war and permanent establishment of the national war labor board and the United States employment service were advocated as essentials of a just reconstruction in a report made public yesterday by four Catholic bishops, constituting the administrative committee of the National Catholic War council.

While favoring, in the interest of health and morality, prohibition of child labor and reduction to the smallest practical limits of the employment of women in industry, the committee urged equal pay for women doing equal work with men.

It declared also for insurance of workers against illness, old age and unemployment until wages are high enough to tide over such periods, for abolition of monopolies, for continuance of heavy taxes on large incomes and excess profits, for co-operative merchandising in necessities to reduce the cost of living and for government-assisted colonization of unoccupied farm lands by demobilized soldiers and sailors.

As a measure outside its present reconstruction program, but of value in solving the problems of capital and labor, the committee urged gradual participation by labor in the management and eventually in the ownership of industry.

The report was issued in the names of Bishops Peter J. Muldoon of Rockford, Ill.; Joseph Schrembs of Toledo, O.; William T. Russell of Charleston, S. C., and Auxiliary Bishop Patrick J. Hayes of New York.

Declaring that "the deep unrest so emphatically and widely voiced throughout the world is a most serious menace," the bishops held up "social justice and a contented people" as the only safeguard of peace.

They rated the national war labor board as "one of the most beneficial governmental organizations of the war."

"Flu" epidemic in Paris last year caused 6267 deaths.

An enemy mine war recently discovered in Cook Strait, New Zealand.

For Colds, Grip and Influenza

Take

"Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets"

Be sure you get the Genuine
Look for this signature

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4000 TROOPS ARRIVED TODAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The steamship Finland arrived today from St. Nazaire with 3352 troops, of whom 923 were sick and wounded. Most of the troops were casuals and included contingents from Connecticut and Massachusetts. Base hospital No. 18, and the brigade headquarters of the 34th Coast Artillery Corps also were on board. Brig. Gen. Daniel W. Ketcham was in command of the troops.

The cruiser Charleston arrived from Brest with 1271 troops, including the field and staff headquarters and supply company, medical and ordnance detachments and batteries A, B, D, E, and F—340 officers and 1196 men—of the 50th Regiment (regular army) of the Coast Artillery Corps.

Features for The Sunday Supplement of THE SUN Tomorrow

Lieut. Woodies' Second Chapter

Hundreds of people have expressed pleasure at being able to read Lieut. Arthur Woodies' own story of his air adventures, in The Sun, the first installment of which was published in the Sunday Supplement last week. Do you remember the thrill of horror which spread over the land because of the number of deaths among student flyers at the Texas flying fields last year? Tomorrow's article offers an explanation for this.

A Big Measure of Local Sports

Tomorrow's Sunday Supplement will contain more news of what's doing in the local world of sports than usual because of the addition of a new sporting writer to The Sun staff.

Not Only Beautiful But Adventurous

This international beauty soon to come east from California found the cave of the South African robbers who stole her father's gems and later in India killed a tiger. Later she won a prize at an international beauty contest.

Condemns College Girls Smoking

Lady Lookabout evidently feels very strongly on this subject to which the agitation at Vassar college has recently given new life, and Milady's article tomorrow denounces it. She admires Russia's "Revolutionary grandmother" and wonders if the new "tokens" to be used to pay carfares will start a new fashion in women's purses. Some difference between the subjects, but Lady Lookabout is versatile.

Now for Patriotic Parties

Have you been wanting some new idea for a Washington's birthday party? Biddy Bye offers a suggestion for a patriotic party that is new and novel, in the Supplement tomorrow.

Exploring a Volume of "The Ladies' Pearl"

It was a magazine exclusively for women readers, published in Lowell 77 years ago. A bound volume came to The Sun office some time ago and a Sun writer has conducted a very interesting trip through its pages. It is a faithful mirror of life in Lowell as it was 77 years ago.

Argus' Weekly Paper

Argus this week continues a discussion of the league of nations, showing that it is the only means by which world peace can be secured. He proves also that no nation joining the league will have to surrender any part of its sovereignty. The league will be binding in the same sense as a treaty and without it the world will be subject to frequent wars from which no nation can remain entirely neutral. Argus also answers many of the critics of the proposed plan for a league of nations, refuting their absurd critics and assumptions.

Congress Anxiously Awaits Wilson

Unless the president arrives back in Washington in time to sign all the bills passed between Feb. 21 and March 4 they will not become law. No wonder the solons are "pulling for the S. S. George Washington." She ought to make America in time of course. The president starts tonight but suppose bad weather held even the George Washington back?

Do You Like Dog Stories?

"Dewey" was just what you might call a "sort of a mutt dog," but my, how lovable! Yes, "Dewey" is a Lowell dog and if you love animals you'll like to read the first chapter of "Dewey's" life, which starts in The Sun's Sunday supplement tomorrow.

Quarter Century Ago

In the quarter of a century column "Old Timer" tells of mill strikes of 50 years ago when the operatives worked from 12 to 14 hours a day. One mill strike resulted from the abolition of what was known as the "lunch recess." The operatives started work at 5 o'clock in the morning and stopped at 7 o'clock in the evening with half an hour for breakfast, an hour for dinner and a lunch recess of 15 minutes every half day. Other happenings in Lowell 25 years ago are also reviewed in this column in the Sunday Supplement with tomorrow's Sun.

MUNN'S TEA, lb. 60c

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REAL TEA

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SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

25c Fancy Prunes... 20c
13c Skinner's Macaroni ... 8c
25c Baker's Cocoa.... 21c
13c Campbell's Soups.... 10c
8c Ivory Soap, 3 for 20c
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India River Oranges
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HEADQUARTERS FOR BRIDAL VEIL FLOUR

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War Certain Without Sarajevo Murder —Pre-war Stories Shattered

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Some of the accepted stories of the happenings of the momentous days just prior to the war, it is understood, are shattered in a book based on official documents and personal notes of diplomats and officials, to be issued today.

The book characterizes as a fallacy the belief that the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand at Serajevo was a "stage-managed affair," but it is asserted from knowledge gained from official documents that if the assassination had not occurred the war certainly would have been started very soon.

The famous Potsdam conference of July 5, 1914, the books says, was not what has been generally accepted. The meeting took place, but it was not a formal conference, as has been declared repeatedly. Many persons supposed to have been there, it is said, were not present. Emperor William and the German imperial staff were present, however, and at this conference Germany definitely decided for war.

The book was written by Prof. Cahs. W. C. Oman, president of the Royal Historical society and a professor of history at Oxford university. A. J. Balfour, the British foreign secretary, and Earl Curzon, government leader in the house of lords, are understood to have taken an active interest in its compilation.

One of the "damning revelations," as Prof. Oman calls them, is his statement that from a close study of Munich newspapers he has established that the ultimatum from the Vienna government to the Siberian government was deliberately timed when President Poincare and Premier Viviani of France were at sea, after their departure from Petrograd, in order to make it difficult for the entente to reach an understanding.

A series of hitherto unpublished communications between Sir Edward Gray, the British foreign secretary in 1914, and Prince Lichnowsky, German ambassador in London at the outbreak of the war, go to prove, Prof. Oman says, that the British foreign office believed that Lichnowsky was absolutely honest.

The book says: "They emphasize the personal anxiety of Lichnowsky and show that he was actually and literally betrayed by his government—in other words, that he was the unwilling tool of the kaiser."

Note from Prince Lichnowsky

On July 29, 1914, Prince Lichnowsky wrote privately to Sir Edward Grey: "I begin to hope that it once more has been possible, owing to Anglo-German collaboration, to save the peace of Europe."

On July 30, Sir W. E. Goschen, British ambassador in Berlin, wrote to Sir Edward Grey, saying: "The chancellor told me last night that he was pressing the button with a view to forming a moderating influence on Vienna."

Information contained in the book shows that the opposite was taking place that Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg was doing everything possible to set the German war machine going.

Journalistic Mystery

The book refers to a journalistic mystery never cleared up: the publication by the Westminster Gazette on Aug. 1, 1914, of a despatch dated in Berlin, giving the text of a purported telegram addressed on July 30 by von Bethmann Hollweg to the German ambassador in Vienna saying: "We must refuse to be drawn into a world conflagration through Austria-Hungary not respecting our advice."

Prof. Oman says that the newspaper never revealed the source of the despatch and it was never included in the German White Book or in any official publication, yet the document was dragged out two and one-half years later by Chancellor Michaelis and cited as proof that Germany was holding back until Russia mobilized, which mobilization Germany gives as the cause of the war.

The book goes into detail of the fateful night during which the order of Emperor Nicholas countermanding the Russian demobilization was ignored by the Russian war minister and the chief of the Russian general staff. It is shown that the emperor was not in possession of information in the hands of his war minister and chief of staff.

STYLE FROM SOUTHLAND

The lucky ladies whose family fortunes permit a southward flitting when the calendar page croaks "February" often carry with them the advance fashions for spring and summer. Displayed on Palm Beaches and

hotel verandahs they indicate what will be worn on Main street, Anytown, Ohio, next May. This stunning afternoon [illegible] in navy blue satin with [illegible] or pale gray chiffon. Small silver buttons and a silver belt buckle are the only ornaments.

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Indigestion, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Bloating, Sour Stomach, Gas on the Stomach, Bad Breath or other conditions caused by clogged or irregular bowels, take

FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS

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Monday, Feb. 17, 4 p. m. Lecture Outlook Lane Sharp, Professor of Eurhythmics, Boston University. Subject: "Patrons of Democracy."

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Serge and Taffeta Dresses, many pretty styles to select from. Large assortment of colors. All Spring styles. James' price $18 to $25. Sale Price $14.50

COATS For Women and Misses Second Floor

Some have large fur collars. Big roomy pockets. Materials are Silvertone, Pom Pom and Cheviots. Colors are reindeer, pekin, taupe, brown and plum. There is a large assortment of extra sizes included in this lot, such as sizes 46, 48 and 50. James' price $20 to $29.50. Sale Price.....$12.50

COATS FOR MISSES SECOND FLOOR

Baffin Seal Cape Coats and Caracul Cloth Coats. Large fur collars and belted styles. James' price $35 to $40. Sale Price.....$19.50

COATS For Women and Misses Second Floor

Bolivias, Pom Poms and Plush Coats, all silk lined, with and without fur collars. James' price $27.50 to $40. Sale Price.....$19.50

HOUSE DRESSES SECOND FLOOR

Billie Burke House Dresses in good quality gingham and chambray, all sizes. James' price $2. Sale Price $1.35

WAISTS FOR WOMEN SECOND FLOOR

Fancy Voile and Semi-Tailored Waists. James' price $1.95 and $2.95. Sale Price.....91¢

WAISTS FOR WOMEN SECOND FLOOR

Including Middies and Smocks, in rose, copen, white and nile green. James' price $2.98 and $3.98. Sale Price.....$1.89

WAISTS FOR WOMEN SECOND FLOOR

Georgette Crepe Blouses in white and colors, small lots, but good collection. James' price $5.00 to $10. Sale Price $3.29

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor

New Spring Suits, styles are exceptionally good. Materials are poplin, serges. Colors are navy, black and taupe. Sale Price.....$16.50

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor

Men's Wear Serge, navy and black, new Spring styles, splendid quality material. Sale Price $22.50

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor

Heavy Poplin and Serge, for mid-season wear, in black and navy. James' price $25. Sale Price $12.50

DRESSES FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Large lot of Dresses for women and misses, not all sizes in every style, but all sizes in the lot. All wool serges, taffetas and satins. Excellent array of styles. James' price $10 and $18. Sale Price.....$6.98 and $7.98

APRONS SECOND FLOOR

Allover Bungalow Aprons, navy blue, good full size. James' price $1.50. Sale Price.....85¢

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops

Good Quality Serge Dresses. Regulation Middy styles. Also high waistline, pleated skirt model. Navy only. Sizes 6 to 14 years. James' price $8.00. Sale Price.....$4.75

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops

Small lot of Velvet Dresses, sizes 8 to 16 years. Colors are navy and brown. Youthful styles, prettily embroidered. James' price $12. Sale Price $8.75

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops

Taffeta Dresses, plain and plaited skirts, round necks piped with contrasting color material, button trimmed. Others embroidered. Sizes 6 to 16 years. James' price $12 and $13.50. Sale Price $8.75

COATS FOR GIRLS LITTLE GRAY SHOPS

Warm Broadcloth and Wool Velour, fur trimmed. Others are plain belted models with full flare skirt. Mostly dark shades. Sizes 6 to 14 years. James' price $16.50 and $20. Sale Price $10.75

COATS FOR GIRLS LITTLE GRAY SHOPS

Velvet and Burella Coats, nearseal collars, large pockets, button trimmed. Sizes 8 to 14 years. James' price $12. Sale Price.....$8.50

COATS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

All Wool Velours, Cheviots, Burellas, all weighty garments. A good assortment of styles and colors. James' price $15 and $22.50. Sale Price $7.39

PETTICOATS SECOND FLOOR

Heatherbloom Petticoats, in fancy patterns, light blue, rose, gray and purple. James' price $1.98. Sale Price $1.35

WAISTS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Voile Waists in a large assortment of styles. Sizes up to 46. James' price $1.49. Sale Price 75¢

APRONS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Striped Percale Aprons, light and dark colors. James' price $1.00. Sale Price.....59¢

HOUSEDRESSES FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Light and dark colors, made of good quality percale. Sizes to 44. $1.50 value. Sale Price 98¢

PETTICOATS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Women's Outsize Gingham Petticoats. James' price $1.25. Sale Price.....89¢

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A message, however large and important, pent up in one human being's head, is not a message. It is merely a thought, an idea, a bit of knowledge. It becomes a message only when it is communicated to other ears.

And, as the world is wide and people are numerous, ears are not easily reached, excepting in ones and twos. So we reach thousands and millions of ears through as many eyes.

In other words, printed pages carry messages to those who use their eyes.

Up in North Dakota there are few people and many acres. The people want neighbors. They want folks from thickly populated centres to settle on idle farms and make them productive of food and wealth. So they are sending that message to other men and women. But the state itself is dictating the message and paying for the sending of it. North Dakota's state legislature has just passed an act appropriating $200,000 for state advertising purposes; to let the rest of the world hear her message of idle land and the need for workers. This is probably the first time that any state government spent state money to advertise the state for the benefit of the state's citizens, present and future.

SALARY RAISING

This is not a time for raising salaries or wages to any great extent, particularly in municipal offices. The conditions do not warrant advances at a time when the tendency is in the opposite direction.

The cost of living must come down. It is coming down gradually and this tendency will continue until checked by the boom of prosperity that is sure to arrive in the near future.

Mills and factories that earned big money during the war could conveniently shut down for a few months and await the return of certainty, the settlement of policies as to tariff, export and freight charges. But the operatives cannot afford to be idle. These conditions make conservatism by labor leaders and organizations imperative until the transition period shall have passed.

When this business boom will come is not certain; but one thing quite sure is, that any labor trouble will retard it. If harmony and co-operation prevail, it may set in about May or June, but otherwise it may be delayed till next fall.

All depends upon wise management, patience, co-operation and mutual forbearance between employer and employed.

LETTER CARRIERS

The busy man deposits money in a bank and mails checks to his creditors. He saves his legs. He makes use of the postman's legs. If 10,000 business men save one hour each every day and that estimate is away too low for any big city like New York, or Cleveland, Detroit or Chicago, Washington or Los Angeles—and if each hour saved is worth no more than a dollar, then you have $10,000 saved each day to the business community by its postman.

That's only a part of the saving the postman makes for the community he serves.

Yet some of us fail to think of him in this way when he wants a raise in pay.

The postman is paid the modest salary of from $900 to $1200 a year which, in these times, is far too little for the service rendered.

NEW WAR LOAN

The next war loan will soon be asked from the people and it is a certainty that the masses are not now prepared to meet the demand as they were when all were working overtime at good wages. Still, if the conditions be made sufficiently attractive, those who have the money will buy the bonds. Secretary Glass has in hand the task of floating the next loan and it must be authorized by the present congress. To await action by the next congress would be to leave our soldiers and sailors unpaid for a time after their wages fall due.

The amount of the loan has not yet been announced, but it will be probably between five and six billion dollars, possibly higher.

We all admit the Providence Journal is a very fine paper and its contribution to the work of fighting German spies and propaganda will always be regarded as one of the most notable achievements of American journalism. Lately, the Journal says, members of its staff have consulted high legal authorities who have reassured the Journal that Polk, in proclaiming the ratification of the bone dry amendment, seriously erred. The Journal asserts that many states must ratify prohibition not through their legislatures, but by popular vote. The Journal is probably dealing with a much involved proposition, a legal technicality which the highest court in the land may have to decide.

There is a question of whether the expressed regret of the people of the French nation, at seeing the American legions departing for home, may not be based on reasons entirely political. Probably American soldiers, many of them responsible for the support of families, feel that their contribution of blood and valor has been all that the French can reasonably expect. None of us believes German ambition can be backed up by resources sufficient to menace Europe's peace again in the near future. Still, in her war torn position, France may be excused for insisting upon protective measures.

This afternoon, some "sample boxing bouts" were put on in the Chicago city council chambers so the city's solons could learn more intimately about boxing, the idea being that Illinois, or certain interests therein, are trying to legalize boxing. The talent for the matches this afternoon was recruited from Great Lakes Naval Training station, with the addition of a few professionals. Whether Illinois legalizes boxing or not, we'll say that we hope the city fathers were treated to some good bouts.

Over in New York, they are worrying some about the prospect of ice being sold at a high price next summer. The faithful old Hudson, so far, has shown a disinclination to freeze over. We had previously supposed the New York conception of ice was that its chief use was to cool beer and cocktail material. As far as that goes, the present apprehension may be somewhat untimely inasmuch as in New York, after June 30, ice for such purposes will be unnecessary.

So 40 per cent of the French girls want to annex American husbands. Did the Paris paper that printed this story print it as truthful news or did it print it as a subtle French compliment to the Strong Arms who hustled over to help out Joan's country? Many thousand of American soldiers have already disembarked from ships which started from French ports. Where are their French wives? There must be some buddies too gallant to let a French girl pine for an American name.

In regard to Mayor Ole Hanson of Seattle, advices from that city certify that the only foreign thing about Mayor Hanson is his name. The Seattle papers say he was 100 per cent American and proven so even before strong-minded shipyard workers tried to make the fine city on Puget sound a replica of Petrograd.

SEEN AND HEARD

Well, did you get that expected valentine?

You can help yourself by keeping tabs on yourself.

It is not always wise for one to relate one's observations.

They do tell that the spice of life is generally found in family jars.

Some men will have a lot of time to spend at the movies and elsewhere after July 1.

"To resume war if Germany fails to carry out terms." Good idea; we know how to do it now.

Lowell wants to build a new school but the Locks & Canals must be consulted first. What omnipresence it doth maintain!

Remember that the little Armenian was just as human and tender as you are when you were born. There's no good reason why he should be slaughtered any more than you. Help our Brother Hackmeyer's relief campaign as a part of your reconstruction program.

Her Preference

The wife of a congressman had two sons who were in the habit of taking the pretty nursemaid out for a good time. The boys would not own up to it when she tried to caution them lest their father learned the situation.

She then went to the pretty nurse and by a little finesse disarmed her of thinking she was displeased.

"Minna," she said, "which of the boys do you like to go out with best, Tom or Harry?"

"Well," said the maid, "I think I prefer Harry, but for a real good time I like your husband best."—Ginger Jar.

Cost of Salvation

A colored preacher had just concluded a sermon on "Salvation Am Free" and announced that a collection would be taken up for the benefit of the parson and his family. A member in the audience objected to the paradoxical nature of the proceedings, and received this bit of negro logic in response:

"S'pose yo' was thirsty an' come to a river. Yo' could kneel right down an' drink your fill, couldn't yo'? An' it would cost yo' nothin'. Dat water would be free. But s'posin' yo' was to have dat water piped to yo' house, you'd have to pay, wouldn't you? Waal, brudder, so it is wid salvation. De salvation am free, but it's de habin' it piped to yo' dat you got to pay fo'."—San Diego Union.

Too Late Then

An officer home on leave took his wife to the seaside. When his leave was up he left her there and came up to his home for the night to sleep, leaving his house early next day to return to the front.

The postgirl brought a letter a few minutes after he had gone, marked "urgent," and addressed to him. A neighbor told the postgirl that he had departed and readdressed it to him.

The mail boat was lost in the channel, but the mails were saved and the letter came back, was again taken over by the same neighbor and again posted to the front.

One morning the officer was in the dread act of going "over the top" when the letter was handed to him and this is what it said: "Dear George—Be sure to tell Mrs. Williams that our cat is not to have cat's meat more than once a week, as it makes the darling so fierce."

My Valentine

O, loved one of mine, my fair valentine,
My pen in love's nectar I dip
To write of the skies in the blue of your eyes,
And the red of your sweet pouting lip.

You come with my dreams, as the dreamful dire gleams,
And sit on my knee in the dusk—
Yes, out of life's dark, such wine do I quaff,
While others are eating but husks.

Your dainty white hand, like a small fairy wand,
Is lifted my brow to caress,
And two witching feet, in slippers as neat,
Peep out from the hem of your dress.

And the mesh of your hair, with the light playing there,
I, a crown for an empress to wear,
Ah, the curve of your chin, with the dimple tucked in,
And the round of your throat under there!

I know that no man, since time first began,
Or the stars in their courses to shine,
Ever held on his knee such a creature as she
Who perches this evening on mine!

With a clasp of my arms I gather your charms
With a fervor I make to deplore—
For with rattle and click, that awoke me, by jink!
My meerschaum has dropped on the floor.

—Cartoons Magazine.

May Be Missing Link

The Paris Figaro gives an account of a recent remarkable discovery of paintings in a prehistoric cave of South France. In particular a sketch has been found of a man who went about on all fours and possessed a tail. The account runs in part:

"Count Bégouen and his sons discovered on the wall of the subterranean gallery some engravings estimated to be 20,000 years old, and in such quantity and variety that the extraordinary ensemble of prehistoric art work constitutes a veritable museum.

"The animals figured in the cave are considerable in number and include reindeer, bison, horses, both isolated and in groups, bears, elephants and rhinoceroses. The representations of felines are very rare but Messrs. Bégouen have photographed in their cave a genuine lion, executed in bas-relief. They have made out also several birds, including swans, ducks, as well as three predatory night flyers.

"The human figure is likewise represented in the cave, which has been named 'The cave of the three brothers.' A silhouette is particularly remarkable, almost half human. It represents a man in motion—a man of powerful body, whose head and shoulders are joined by an enormous neck, a man whose upper and lower limbs and whose hands and feet are perfectly human, but whose vertebral column is prolonged in an exterior appendage resembling that of the anthropoids—a man, at least, qui marche à quatre pattes!"

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

I am not sure in what division of the street department Westford street is, who is directly responsible as supervisor of its cleaning or in fact, who the faithful sweeper men are who go over it but here and now I want to say that Westford street from its entire length seems to me to be one of the cleanest kept streets in all the city. I have seen streets in Lowell where the sweepers, like slovenly housewives who sweep lint and dust under rugs, swept street litter up around tree boxes but such is not the case on Westford street. Now, to cite an example of a street, the condition of which is the very reverse of this excellent condition, I'll name Paige street right here in the heart of the city and located where I suppose more out-of-town folk see it than ever see Westford street. Paige street is a dirty looking street and unless it's stipulated that it be kept dirty, I should think there would be a change made about the care given it.

A new point in the basic eight-hour day program under which Lowell mill people now work—a point which ought to receive some attention from the thrifty minded—was brought out by two men I heard talking on a street car homeward bound yesterday. Said the first man, "Well, if I were a young man employed in the mills at the present time it seems to me I would ask for nothing better than to have the chance to work under the eight-hour system. What a change from the drudgery hours that used to prevail. The young man who wants to get ahead by study outside of working hours or wants to improve his time by means other than study, has all the chance in the world to do it. I expect there was a time when the old time mill workers never dreamed the industry would be conducted on the eight-hour basis. With things as they are now, if a young man employed in the mills does not better his condition and get a better job or a better situation in life, it must be said that the matter is wholly up to him. He now has plenty of time to help himself. It's his own fault if he doesn't get ahead."

Well, I hear Lieut. Paul H. Hines of Boston, now a member of the staff of the Boston Post and formerly a member of the famous 26th Division, will be one of the speakers at the patriotic dinner to be given by the local Fourth degree Knights of Columbus on the evening of Washington's birthday. I know Paul Hines. I know him very well, and like all Boston newspapermen who ever did know him, I'll say that to know him is to admire and respect him. We used frequently to work together on assignments in Boston and I suppose if Paul were very much pressed he would tell of a mild and rather humorous adventure he and I had of which the third actor was a German propagandist. This soldiering business is no new thing for Paul Hines. He had served one or two enlistments in the Marines long before this matter with the Huns came up. The members of Bishop Delany assembly are to be congratulated that they are to hear Lieut. Hines' story of his experiences at St. Mihiel and Seicheprey. He is a newspaperman who writes a good story and, unlike most newspapermen who write good stories, he can tell his story well.

Does advertising in The Sun pay? Well, I should say it did. Tom Maguire and young Lavelle corner me every now and then and tell me what wonderful things are accomplished when Lowell people listen to the space selling propositions they advance and many times I turn a deaf ear to the tales as our branch of the newspaper game is of course far above the filthy lucre part of the business. Oh, yes. But yesterday they unloaded an advertising story on me that I choose to put in the col. even at risk of being accused of "tooting his own horn." "Tooting his own horn," or not, this is a true story. The Bon Marche people put an ad in The Sun desiring to hire an auto driver. The first day after the ad appeared in The Sun the manager at the store said he guessed that ad better be taken out of The Sun as applicants were taking up the space in the store so much. The second day after the ad appeared I hear the manager of the store phoned to The Sun's composing room and yelled to the foreman, "Say, you'll just have to jerk out that ad of ours for an auto driver. We've already had 64 applicants and more evidently coming up the street. If you ran the ad another day Bon Marche would have to hire all these good young fellows and start a new branch of the department store business."

Lincoln's birthday morning Miss Louie I. Smith, who "mothers" a score or so of little tots up in the Pine street kindergarten, told her very little scholars something about Lincoln. She concluded her story by saying, "Now in our country the people pick out a man whom they believe is a very wise man and they elect him to be our president. It was that way with Mr. Lincoln and the same with Mr. Wilson, our great president who is now away across the big water." The circle of eager, interested little faces showed the interest with which the story had been received. In Miss Smith's school, it seems, when you feel like talking you can talk and in fact telling one's ideas is encouraged. Finally, the spell was broken. One little chap said to Miss Smith and his comrades in general, "Well, I guess my father isn't very wise and I guess they'll never pick him out for our president. He's just a daddy."

Many Sun readers saw in this paper Wednesday the account of the awarding of honors to different members of the crew U.S.S. Mt. Vernon for heroism displayed when the vessel was torpedoed off France. Many persons wondered how it happened that the Lowell colony on board escaped receiving an honorable mention. There are four Lowell boys on the Mt. Vernon and they have all been on her for quite some time. There is a young fellow named Simpson whose first name I have been unable to get, Seaman Ira Booth, Seaman James Brosnan and Chief Petty Officer George H. Bird, whose home is at 131 Chelmsford street, this city.

NOW RAISES 600 CHICKENS

After Being Relieved of Organic Trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oregon, Ill.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for an organic trouble which pulled me down until I could not put my foot to the floor and could scarcely do my work, and as I live on a small farm and raise six hundred chickens every year it made it very hard for me.

"I saw the Compound advertised in our paper, and tried it. It has restored my health so I can do all my work and I am so grateful that I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. D. M. ALTERS, R. R. 4, Oregon, Ill.

Only women who have suffered the tortures of such troubles and have dragged along from day to day can realize the relief which this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters.

The letters constantly being published from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

EPILEPTIC ATTACKS Have Been STOPPED For Over 50 Years

by DR. KLINE'S EPILEPTIC REMEDY. It is a rational and remarkably successful treatment for Fits, Epilepsy (Falling Sickness) and Kindred Nervous Derangements. Get or order it at any Drug Store—

Send for our valuable book on Epilepsy. It is FREE

Dr. R. H. Kline Co. DEPT. B RED BANK, N.J.

A Woman's Health

means everything to her. But so many of our American women are worn out, anemic, and suffering from the peculiar weakness of womankind. To build up, strengthen and cure these weaknesses, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is a woman's true herbal tonic. It does not contain a particle of alcohol, nor anything deleterious to women's delicate constitution. For fifty years it has proven its merit, and can now be had in tablet as well as liquid form at almost any drug store, or send 10c for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

THAT WEAK BACK

Accompanied by pain here and there—extreme nervousness—sleeplessness—maybe faint spells, chills or spasms—all are signals of distress for a woman. She may be growing from girlhood into womanhood—passing from womanhood to motherhood—or later suffering during middle life, which leaves so many wrecks of women. At any of these periods of a woman's life, "Favorite Prescription" is the best herbal tonic and nervine prescribed for just such cases by a physician of vast experience in the diseases from which women suffer. Then, for the liver and bowels nothing is so good as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of May-apple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground. All druggists.

You can write Dr. Pierce, Pres. Invalids' Hotel, in full confidence and receive free medical advice.

OUR MARK DOWN SALE OF FINE SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR

$22.50

Is simply continuing our plan of clearing up stock at the end of each season.

The highest class Suits and Overcoats are included in this sale and for a price as low as you paid for these qualities two years ago.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

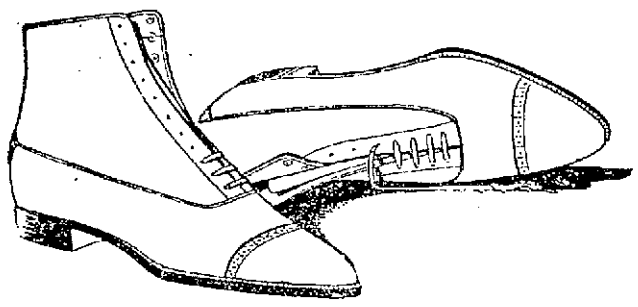
including smart models of Suits that have been selling for $28.00, $30.00, $35.00, $40.00 and $42.00. Sizes 33 to 48 in the lots, now

$22.50

OVERCOATS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

—full box, waist seam, form-fitting and conservative models, including some of "Society Brand" Overcoats—have been selling for $30.00, $35.00, $37.50, $40.00 and $45.00—Sizes from 33 to 48 stout in the lots, now

$22.50



HERE'S A SALE OF HIGH CLASS SHOES THAT'S DECIDEDLY UNUSUAL

Men's Shoes have been selling for $9.50, $10, $11, $12 and $13.50, now — $8.50

Men's Shoes have been selling for $7, $7.50, $8 and $8.50, now ..... — $5.75

Men's Shoes have been selling for $4.50, $5, $5.50 and $6, now ..... — $3.75

Putnam & Son Co.

166 CENTRAL STREET

DIES SUDDENLY

Military Governor of Paris Succumbs at Dinner

PARIS, Feb. 14.—General Moinier, military governor of Paris, died last night, while at dinner.

PERSHING'S AID DIES OF PNEUMONIA

PARIS, Feb. 14.—Col. Carl Boyd, principal aide-de-camp to General Pershing, has died of an attack of pneumonia. His home was at Adamsville, Ga., and for a number of years he was military attache of the American embassy here.

THE MAYOR THANKS THEATRE HEAD

Mayor Perry D. Thompson today forwarded the following letter of appreciation to Benjamin Pickett, manager of the B. F. Keith theatre for the part which he contributed toward the success of the Roosevelt memorial exercises in the theatre last Sunday. The city was able to obtain the use of the theatre without a cent of expense and received every manner of co-operation from the management and employes. Today's letter follows:

Feb. 14, 1919.

Mr. Benjamin Pickett, Keith's Theatre, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Mr. Pickett:

I desire to take occasion to thank you in behalf of the city government of the city of Lowell for the very substantial part that you contributed towards the success of the Theodore Roosevelt memorial day at your theatre.

It is indeed most gratifying to me to say that the exercises conducted at your theatre on Sunday last were carried on under most favorable auspices, due greatly to the courteous attention rendered by yourself and the attaches of your theatre.

Thanking you heartily, I remain,

Very truly yours,
PERRY D. THOMPSON,
Mayor of Lowell

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing. Tobin's, Associate bldg

Lydon for best catering. Tel. 4934.

Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

The O. M. L. Caders will hold a meeting at 7.30 o'clock tonight. Business of importance will be transacted.

Inspector Bailey of the state highway commission examined 15 applicants for chauffeurs' licenses at city hall today.

A. E. Rountree of the local park commission is inspecting parks in the south where he is now traveling and has already seen some of the beauty spots of Palm beach, Key West and St. Augustine. He will not return until next month.

An alarm from box 119 at 10.56 o'clock this forenoon summoned a portion of the department to the building at the corner of Adams and Salem street, owned by Joseph Fay, for a rag fire in a closet of one of the tenements. There was no damage.

Word has been received in Lowell that Sergt. Frederick Bamford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bamford of 62 Main street, has been promoted to a second lieutenant. Sergt. Bamford left Camp Devens with the 76th division as a member of Co. C, 302nd Machine Gun battalion.

John Danford of 101 Westford street fell from the high steps of his home last evening at 11 o'clock and fractured a left rib. The accident occurred while Mr. Danford was trying to unlock his door. The ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital.

The ninth annual reunion and banquet of the Olney Chemical Alumni of the Lowell Textile school will be held Saturday, Feb. 15, at the Richardson hotel, Lowell, Mass. Lieut. Gustafson, a graduate of the school who has seen active service abroad, will be the speaker of the evening.

Hon David I. Walsh will come to Lowell next Sunday afternoon to address members of the Lowell branch of the League of Catholic Women in Associate hall at 3 o'clock. The former governor and present Senator-elect will speak on "Opportunity for Service." A capacity attendance is expected as the officers of the league are making provisions for relieving friends of the members as well as members themselves. Further details will be announced later.

THE OWL THEATRE

TODAY—Nothing Cheap But the Price—Nothing Small But the Theatre—TODAY

ANITA STEWART

The Biggest Screen Success Ever in The City

NO ADVANCE IN PRICES

VIRTUOUS WIVES

LOUIS B. MAYER'S $100,000 SCREEN STAR in

Hundreds of People Turned Away Daily

10c at Mat.; 10-20c at Nite

IMPORTANT

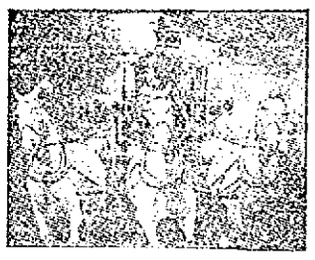
ON SATURDAY THE SHOW WILL START AT 10 IN THE MORNING AND WILL BE CONTINUOUS UNTIL 10.30 AT NITE.

—COMING—

NEXT WEEK

NOTHING EVER LIKE IT IN PICTURES BEFORE

MONDAY—FIREMAN'S DAY



—COMING—

NEXT WEEK

The Most Daring and Sensational Camera Production Ever.

MONDAY—FIREMAN'S FAMILY DAY

THE STILL ALARM

Reaching the Pinnacle of Dramatic Effort, Dwarfing the Stage-Craft of All Times.

LOWELL NEVER SAW ANYTHING LIKE IT BEFORE

ROYAL THEATRE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

D. W. Griffith has "MADE" many screen stars, people who would have never risen to their actual rank, but for his masterly training. But among them, one has stood above his "artificial stars" and that is

HENRY B. WALTHALL Who played in "Birth of a Nation," "The Great Love" and other Griffith triumphs.

HE WILL BE SEEN IN HIS VERY LATEST INDEPENDENT 6-ACT RELEASE

"THE LONG LANE'S TURNING"

A NEW, ZIPPY BIG-V COMEDY IN 2 ACTS

JACK LIVINGSTON and star cast in the 5-act Picture "THE PRICE OF APPLAUSE"

2nd Episode of "THE MAN OF MIGHT" With WILLIAM DUNCAN and Co-stars

EPISODE 13 OF "THE IRON TEST" With ANTONIO MORENO

The STRAND

CONTINUOUS PM 01015

Film Features First

—TODAY—

"FOR FREEDOM"

Passion, Peace and Patriotism, Featuring

WILLIAM FARNUM

HAYAKAWA

Japanese Film Star in "THE TEMPLE OF DUSK"

Others

SEATS AT ALL PERFORMANCES 10¢

JEWEL THEATRE

"The Home of Sparkling Photoplays"

TODAY AND SATURDAY

HERBERT RAWLINSON

—IN—

"Smashing Through"

Five acts full of pep and life, with a charming romance underlying it all. Don't miss it.

"THE CLEMENCEAU CASE"

—WITH—

THEDA BARA

A five-reel modernized version of the famous Dumas novel. Fox Special

BILLY WEST in "SHIP AHOY"—EDDIE POLO—MUTT & JEFF

MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

TODAY AND SATURDAY

Dorothy Gish

—IN—

"The Hope Chest"

A contest between snobbishness and democracy with a pretty girl the victor.

"AMERICA WAS RIGHT"

SPECIAL PATRIOTIC FEATURE

A beautiful romance in which patriotism is the underlying motive.

COMEDY—"PERFECTLY FIENDISH FLANAGAN"

BURTON HOLMES TRAVEL PICTURES

B. F. KEITH'S

LOWELL'S LEADING THEATRE

Twice Daily, 2 and 7.45—Tel. 28

TRAVERS AND DOUGLAS
Assisted by Louis Theil, in "MORNING GLORY"

ORTH & CODY
In "LET'S TAKE A WALK"

FRED ALLEN
Trying to Get Along

ROLLAND & RAY
In Songs and Jest

THREE TIVOLI GIRLS
10 Minutes of Harmony

CLAIRE & ATWOOD
In "BUMPS"

HOWARD'S
DOG AND PONY CIRCUS
Special Reception Saturday Matinee on the Stage for Kiddies. A Ride on the Ponies.

PATHE NEWS WEEKLY—COMEDY
1000 MATINEE SEATS, 10 CENTS

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE | THIS WEEK

A BIG DRAMATIC OFFERING THE—

UNKNOWN VOICE

—NEXT WEEK—

The Story of a Girl Who Was Sold to Save Her Father

THE WIFE HE BOUGHT

By WALTER HACKETT

Author of "The Invisible Foe"

New York's Greatest Success of This Season

TRACK MEET

LOWELL HIGH VS. WAKEFIELD HIGH

Saturday, Feb. 15, 1919, 7.30 P. M.

ADMISSION 30 CENTS

PRIV. NORMAN ROSS HOME

A most enjoyable reception was held at the home of Mrs. Dora Ross in Royal street Wednesday evening upon the occasion of the home-coming of her son, Private Norman Ross from overseas following 10 months' service with the 55th C.A.C. Private Ross participated in the battle of the Marne, Ypres, St. Mihiel, the Argonne forest and the Meuse river. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with the national colors and a large "Welcome home" flag in the centre. There were enjoyable musical selections by Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Richards and Mrs. Richard Connell. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ross assisted by Mrs. W. Ouellette, Mrs. A. Mallen and Mrs. Richards. The program was closed with a prayer led by Adjutant Clark of the Salvation Army and singing of the national anthem by all present.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN THE POLICE COURT

What seems to be fast becoming a standard alibi with the offenders whose cases are tried at the police court made its appearance again this morning when Joseph Karoski, who was charged with assault and battery on Thomas J. Nevins told Judge Fisher that he was so drunk that he didn't know whether he struck the complainant or not. This was Joe's sole defense, and he stuck to it throughout the trial.

Nevins, who is employed at the Massachusetts mills told the court that as he was going along Lakeview avenue last Saturday on his way home from work someone came up behind him and knocked him down with a well planted right hook to the side of the head. When he had struggled to his feet a woman who stood nearby told him that defendant, who was running from the scene at this time, was the man who had struck him. A witness of the affair corroborated Nevins' story with the result that Joe was found guilty and assessed $20 as a warning not to be quite so aggressive in the future.

Coat Larceny Case

Charles F. Lannon was charged with the larceny of a coat from William Bishop and entered a plea of not guilty. Bishop said that he was employed at the George L. Cady lumber yard and that last Saturday while at work he laid the coat down for a few moments. When he loked for the garment it was nowhere in sight and a little girl told him that she had seen four boys pick up the coat and run away with it.

Officer Kennedy, who arrested Lannon on a charge of trespassing a short time afterwards, testified that defendant had the coat in his possession at the time and that he had attempted to give it to another young man after being placed under arrest.

Lannon said that he had not stolen the coat, it had been stolen by another boy who had afterwards attempted to sell it to him for 50 cents. He had refused to buy it, he said, and had been merely trying it on when arrested, which accounted for his being found with it in his possession.

It was finally decided to continue the case until tomorrow morning when it is expected the three other young men will be present and give their version of the story.

Found Not Guilty

Joseph W. Martin was charged with a violation of the motor vehicle law. Edward F. Flynn, the complainant in the case, told the court that he was on his way to Billerica last Saturday night in his machine and that Martin, who was coming towards the city in a large truck collided with him and kept on his way without stopping to ascertain the amount of damage done. His machine was smashed to some extent and after a time Martin came back to the scene of the accident.

Martin's defence was that under the existing circumstances a collision was unavoidable and that it was no more his fault than Flynn's. He was found not guilty and the case dismissed.

Hard Working Man

"I'm a hard working man, Your Honor," said John Dudek to the court, "and I always feed my wife and my five kids every day. Why don't she go out and go to work if she isn't satisfied?" This in answer to his better half's testimony that he spent too much money on drink and not enough on his family. She also said that when under the influence of liquor John usually became rough and pushed her around more or less. He was found guilty of drunkenness and given a suspended sentence of two months in jail.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

5-ROOM COTTAGE for rent, 19 Batchelder's place. Rent $11. Inquire on the premises.

COTTAGE for sale near Manchester st.; nice lot land, $1650. M. Quealy, 41 Royal st.

6-ROOM COTTAGE near Bowden and Gorham sts., for sale; built only eight years; land enough for another house. $1700. M. Quealy, 41 Royal st.

2-TENEMENT HOUSE, dandy repair, large yard, near London st., for sale. Price $2700. Easy terms. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

7-ROOM COTTAGE, dandy, near 8th ave., for sale; also large garden and poultry house. Price $2100. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

7-ROOM HOUSE, steam heat, bath, set tubs, large barn and extra lot of land, near Gorham st., for sale. Price $3500. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

2-TENEMENT HOUSES, cottages, investment property, lodging house, stores, farms, tenements, etc. Customers waiting. Philip J. Gratton, 257 Hildreth bldg. Real estate and insurance auctioneer. Tel. 5810.

10-ROOM LODGING HOUSE for sale all rented; steam heat and everything modern. Price for house, land and furniture, $1000 down, $4500. Philip J. Gratton, 257 Hildreth Bldg. Open evenings. Tel. 5810.

HELP WANTED

SHOEMAKER wanted. John the Shoe Man, 187 Broadway.

MEN AND WOMEN wanted to know that we pay the highest cash prices for bonds. Apply to Lowell Commission House, 16 Gorham st. Sam's, 131 Central st.

CAPABLE CUTTER and crusher pressman with full knowledge of dyes and make-ready. Very good opportunity for a live, wide-awake man. In answering state experience, full personal details and salary expected. G-17, Sun office.

TAILOR wanted. Apply Harry Raymond, Tailor, 116 Gorham st.

SALESMEN and agents to sell our teas and coffee, spices and extracts to our old customers on established routes on commission and salary. Write for our proposition and samples. C. L. Staples & Co., Dept. 21, Clinton, Iowa.

GIRL wanted to do light housework and help to care for children. Address J-50, Sun Office.

GOVERNMENT will hold railway mail clerk examinations, Lowell, March 15th. $97 month. Experience unnecessary. Men, 18 or over, desiring clerkships write for free particulars, Raymond Terry (former civil service examiner), Continental Building, Washington.

BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT

Separate sealed bids will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses at City Hall on Friday, February 21, 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m., for

1. Lighting Fixtures.
2. Window Shades.

To be furnished and installed in the Bartlett School on Wannalancit street for the City of Lowell in accordance with plans and specifications furnished by Millard F. Davis, Architect.

3. Lighting Fixtures

To be furnished and installed in the Isolation Hospital Buildings on West Meadow Road for the City of Lowell in accordance with plans and specifications furnished by Henry L. Rourke, Architect.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the Building Department at City Hall or at the offices of the architects in the Hildreth Building.

A bond to the amount of 20% of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder as a guarantee that the contract will be completed in a manner satisfactory to the architect and the commissioner.

The Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to accept the proposal which seems for the best interest of the City of Lowell.

Per order,
GEORGE E. MARCHAND,
Commissioner.

One 1916 7-Passenger Jeffrey Sedan
One 1917 Rush ½ Ton Truck, closed body
One Ford Touring Car
V. A. FRENCH
Tel. 4577 Moody Bridge Garage

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 12, 1919. The committee on public lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in House No. 350, recommendations of the board of gas and electric light commissioners; H. 351, relative to the managers of municipal lightings; H. 352, relative to the disposition of bonds of gas, electric and water companies; H. 353, relative to provision for depreciation by gas, electric and water companies; H. 354, relative to street lighting contracts; H. 355, relative to the extensions of the charters of gas and electric companies; H. 356, relative to contracts between gas and electric companies; H. 357, to check the depletion of the resources of gas, electric and water companies; and H. 358, relative to the annual report of the board of gas and electric light commissioners, at Room No. 446, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 19, at 10.30 o'clock, a. m.

John E. Beck, Chairman. William Plattner, Clerk of the Committee.

ALONZO B. COOK, Auditor.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Jeremiah J. O'Leary, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Michael Leary of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Atty.
f7-11-17

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John F. Markham, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to 45 Madison street, Lowell.

THOMAS J. MARKHAM, Adm.
Feb. 10, 1919.

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 590 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1908, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 491 of the Acts of 1909 and Chapter 171 of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 27223 on the Washington Savings Institution is lost or destroyed; payment has been stopped, and application has been made for payment of the amount.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Catherine Moloney, also called Kate Maloney, Kate Moloney and Katie Moloney, of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive.

Whereas, a petition for guardianship has been presented to said Court, by George M. Kline, Elmer A. Stevens, and Charles G. Dewey of the Massachusetts Commission on Mental Diseases, alleging that said Catherine Moloney is an insane person, and incapable of taking care of herself, and praying that Clarence L. Newton, of Newton, in said County, or some other suitable person, may be appointed her guardian, agreeably to the law in such case made and provided.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in and for said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to cause you to be notified of the time and place appointed for the hearing of said complaint, by serving said Catherine Moloney with a copy of this order, seven days at least before said Court; and by mailing to said heirs apparent or presumptive at the last known postoffice address of each, a copy of the same, seven days at least before said Court, or instead of said mailing, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

LOST AND FOUND

CAMEO STONE lost Thursday, Feb. 13. Finder please write G-16, Sun office.

TWO BROWN HANDBAGS lost Saturday evening, Feb. 8th, aboard the theatre train out of Boston. Bags first missed at Lowell. Finder notify Isaac Blaine Stevens, Nashua, N. H., and receive reward.

PAIR AMETHYST ROSARY BEADS lost Sunday morning between 15 Barrington st. and Sacred Heart church. Return to 15 Barrington st.

SPECIAL NOTICE

MADAM MAY, trance medium: if in trouble come and see her, 53 John st., Room 3.

ASTROLOGY—Send dime and birthdate for reliable test to Plato, Box 102, Buffalo, N. Y.

HUGH MCBROGAN, piano and furniture moving; also dealer in new and second hand furniture. Store 14 Church st. Tel. 2544-R.

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TO LET

LARGE SUNNY ROOM to rent on Riverside st. Can be turned into two rooms; $1.25 per week. Inquire A. Lemarre, 10 Clinton ave.

TWO ROOMS ($3 per week) for light housekeeping, also nine-room tenement to let. 73 Lawrence st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Inquire at the Royal, 98 Westford st.

6-ROOM UPPER TENEMENT, modern, to let; pantry, bath, coal and woodshed on the same floor at 716 Gorham st. Rent $20.

ROOMS for light housekeeping, also single rooms to let; steam heat, hot and cold water. 57 Lawrence st.

BARN AND GARAGE to let. Apply 46 Waugh st.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping to let; 38 Fourth st., reasonable rent. Inquire 18 Fourth st.

BARN AND GARAGE to let. Apply 26 Waugh st.

LARGE FRONT ROOM to let, steam heat and electric light; also rooms for light housekeeping at 75 East Merrimack st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT bath and gas, $2.50 per week. 212 Chelmsford st. Inquire I. Silverblatt, 190 Chelmsford st. Tel. 1359-W.

STEAM-HEATED ROOMS with electricity. Prices $1.50 to $4. Big square rooms for couples. Prices $2 to $4, to let. Lane house, cor. Central and Church sts.

ROOMS to let for light housekeeping. Theatrical hotel, 136-138 Paige st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let. Apply for key at 180 A st.

4 and 5-TON TRUCK to let by day or hour. P. Cogger. Tel. 2970.

WANTED

STOCK SALESMAN, experienced, with clean record, for a 10 per cent preferred stock in banking institution, leads, co-operation and large commission for a man who measures up to our standard, state qualifications and record in first letter, at once. Integrity Finance Co., 1304 Finance Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

WIDOW with child, aged 4 years, desires work as housekeeper. Call 725 Lawrence st., Mr. Brown. Tel. 5752-W.

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VICTROLA talking machine, cabinet style, wanted; will pay cash for same. State lowest cash price. J-61, Sun office.

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FURNISHINGS for a 6-room house, including garden hose and tools, also hens and pigeons, for sale. James Matthew, 164 Jewett st.

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6.23	7.26	6.00	7.12
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9.00	9.45	10.30	11.40
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		9.50	11.12

Sunday Trains Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.20	4.44
3.40	4.46	5.10	6.43
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8.55	10.05		

Sunday Trains Southern Division

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Cupid Lights Hearts of Artists With Genius' Flame!

These married lovers are artists—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graveure. Mrs. Graveure is a singer and sculptor. They have been married three years and declare love inspires art!

BY BETTY BROWN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—When two hearts beat as one, artistic creative ability is doubled. The actor, singer, painter or sculptor should call Cupid to aid if he or she would produce the best work.

I have found two artists here who believe that their artistic output has been doubled by their marriage. They are Louis Graveure, the well-known young baritone, and Eleanor Painter, the soprano who created a sensational success in "The Lilac Domino," and who is starring in the dramatic field as the singing heroine of "The Climax," and have been married three years.

"To say that artists should not marry is all wrong. Of all the people in the world, the artist is the one that is most in need of the tie that strengthens and reassures," said Eleanor Painter.

"The peace of mind and assurance which comes from a happy marriage makes it possible for the artist to accomplish almost twice as much as before," said Louis Graveure.

"For the concert artist or actress whose engagements take them almost daily before the public, it is worse than deadly to have the sense of the sterility of life which every now and then accosts the average mortal," said Mrs. Graveure. "The artist, man or woman, must be forever creative—a self-starting dynamo."

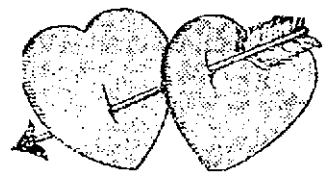
"Of course the creative artist, more than anyone else," she continued, "should be extremely careful whom she marries. The same holds good for the man.

"For instance, say that a prime donna marries a most estimable man, with many virtues, but with, let's say, an irritating way of breaking his eggs in the morning. According to every law of temperament, that prima donna's day will be utterly spoiled. You see, it is the little things as well as the big ones that count.

"But to say that artists should not marry is absurd. The creative mind is oftenest found in a simple, child-like nature, and such a person needs a companion, balancer, protector, anchor, adorer, lover—in short, the right husband. The reason I am so happy and so successful in my work is that in Mr. Graveure I have found just the right life-partner."

"Yes," broke in Mr. Graveure, "Eleanor is my inspiration. She is the one who kept after me until I wrote my book on singing methods; it is she who encourages me in my sculpture work; she is the first one to congratulate me upon any achievement—and although I do not believe in reading criticisms of my concert performance the morning after, my wife reads them and quotes the best of them to me. The peace of mind makes it possible for the artist to accomplish double work. As to the improved quality of the output, everybody knows that happiness always leads toward better work."

IMPORTED VALENTINES!



BY MARGUERITE EDWARDS

Real, live valentines from abroad!

No lace paper and Cupid missives—but honest-to-goodness sweethearts are these charming valentines that have already reached New York—and more are coming on every home-bound troop transport!

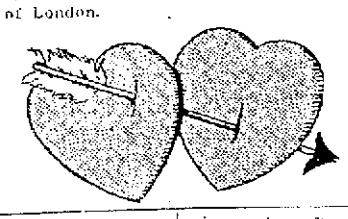
Yankee heroes selected these live valentines in London, "tucked them into their pockets" and brought them home for delivery on the family doorstep on or about February 14!

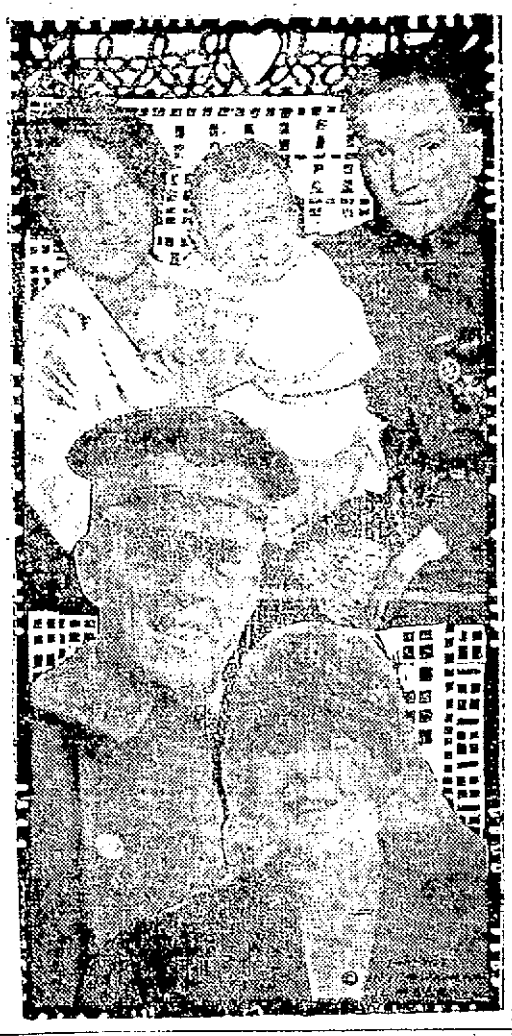
At the upper right is Lieut. E. F. Meister, of Buffalo, and his valentine, a former Essex girl. Lieut. Meister was an officer in the American medical corps and won his bride in a three months' courtship.

Below Cupid's Meister trophy are Lieutenant Carlos B. Stephens, of Chicago, and his bride, formerly Miss Elsie Gertrude Tooley, of London.

The choicest valentine of all is William Lewis, Jr., small cupid son of Private and Mrs. William Lewis, of New York. Lewis served in the British and American armies and wears the French croix de guerre and a British medal. Lewis met his wife when she nursed him in an English convalescent hospital.

At the lower left are Lieut. and Mrs. Roth. Lieut. Roth lives in Pontiac, Ill. His bride was Miss Mary Baines, of London.





RE-KINDLE LOVE'S FIRES ON ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

BY THE REV. CHARLES STELZE

Make St. Valentine's Day a time for rekindling the candles of love. There isn't another holiday on which this may be done more naturally.

You know it's just as easy to cut cookies heart shaped as round, and there's lots more fun doing it.

St. Valentine's Day may be made a happy day for everyone—young folks as well as old—but those who need the love-tokens which the day suggests more than anybody else are the middle-aged—those who are becoming pessimistic about life and love because they imagine they've fairly tried it all and been disappointed.

Say wife—suppose you put up the old-time valentine decorations. You know what and how. And if it doesn't start something, I'll be surprised. Maybe it will begin with a jolly from your husband—but hold your ground, and be a regular old-time "valentine girl." And say, husband—send her the finest valentine you can afford—and you'll be rewarded with a look in her eyes that will remind you of the days when you said "my dear" to her without batting an eyelash.

What a pity that you're both permitting embittered people to crowd love out of your lives!

St. Valentine's day will give you the chance to rekindle the flame that died down for lack of fuel.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

Letter Carriers Welcome Callers at Lowell Homes—Valentines From France

Lowell's letter carriers were burdened more than usual today and there seemed to be more than customary expectation when the doorbell tingled or the office boy divided up the morning mail among a number of anticipative souls. For today was Valentine's day.

Yes, sir, the postal men had extra work this morning and afternoon, and it was interesting to see how they went about it. That young fellow who recently passed the civil service exam and only a short time ago donned his postal uniform is stepping along in a happy, energetic stride. It is a pleasure for him to deliver valentines and he isn't bashful about showing it. The answer is that he's probably expecting one himself.

Then there is the older gentry of postmen. They've been doing "valentine duty" for, lo, these many years, and they have come to look on it in much the same mundane light that they foresee the coming of Christmas—only the added weight of their mail bags. Valentine day is an old story to them and as they give a blushing maid or sparkling-eyed boy in the eagerly awaited missive they grin sophisticatedly and wonder how long the person in question will continue to receive or send valentines. Cynics that they are, they give only a few years as a liberal estimate.

Valentine day is a day for youth and as such it was observed by Lowell young people today. The stores had an exceptionally pretty assortment of affectionate missives and the coarser kind were very rare. There was an unusually large display of dainty cards, lacy creations bearing verses of love and sentiment and other cards for young and old.

Some of the stores advocated the sending of dainty gifts in heart-shaped silver pieces and others showed handkerchiefs, gloves and neckwear as appropriate valentine gifts. Florists got up pretty combinations and even thrift stamps were advanced as wholly fitting exchange tokens.

From all appearances, Friend Weather Man didn't get a valentine or else it was delayed in transmission. He didn't smile at all today and so deep was his grief and disappointment at certain stages that he became lachrymose.

Perhaps some of the happiest valentines in the whole city to doting mothers, wives and sweethearts were rugged soldiers and sailors just returned from overseas or one of the training camps. Their mere presence and safety was the only expression of sentiment that was needed to kindle many a feminine heart.

A few of the schools, particularly the kindergarten and primary grades, had informal observances of the day incorporated as part of their regular school work but there was no special program.

Private parties were held in many homes last evening and designated as Valentine affairs, while others will be staged this evening.

SCRAMBLED VALENTINES

Bub's Valentine

TRANSCRIBED BY EDMUND VANCE COOKE

DEAR PA; —
UNLESS SOME ONE HAS WIRED
YOU UP, I BET YOU'L BE SURPRISED
TO GET THIS NOTE FROM ME, DISGISED
LIKE A REAL LETTER
PLEASE PRETEND
IT IS AND READ IT TO THE END.
CAUSE ITS FROM ME AND IME YOUR FRIEND

PA, YESTERDAY WHEN YOU WAS CROSS
AND BED I WAS A TOTAL LOSS
AND NO SAIN MAN COULD STAND MY SOSS,
I FELT SO BAD I WENT OUTSIDE
AND ONE BOY SAID YOU WAS A SNIDE
AND YOU JUST BET I LAMMED HIS HIDE

PA SOMETIMES, IF YOU ONLY COULD
TALK TO ME MORE LIKE I WAS GOOD
I BELEEVE I'DE TRY TO BE AND WOULD.

SOMETIMES I WISH THAT YOU COULD SEE
IM JUST LIKE WHAT I USET TO BE
CAUSE THEN YOUD TAKE ME ON YOUR KNEE
LIKE YOU DO SISTER YET, THOUGH SHE
IS LONGER IN THE LEGS THAN ME

I BET YOU'L THINK I GOT A NIVE,
BUT PA THIS IS A VALENTIME
BECAUSE I WANT YOU TO BE MINE
YOURS TRULY
{I DONT NEED TO SIGN}

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Make checks payable to W. W. Cleworth, Treasurer, and hand in for your parish team.

THE WEATHER

Rain tonight and probably Saturday; not much change in temperature

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PRES. WILSON READS COVENANT OF LEAGUE PROTECTS MEMBERS AGAINST AGGRESSION

EBERT REPLIES HUNS TO DISARM

Complete Disarmament and Demobilization To Be Carried Out, Says President

Bernstorff Not Going to Conference—People's Army on Basis of Conscription

WEIMAR, Thursday, Feb. 13 (By the Associated Press).—Count von Bernstorff will not go to the peace conference as a German delegate; Germany plans for the time being at least a people's army on the basis of general conscription; Germany will announce within a few days her intention to carry out complete disarmament and demobilization and a commission made up of the centre, democratic and so-

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DR. RODGER APPOINTED BACTERIOLOGIST

Dr. James V. Rodger was today appointed bacteriologist for the city of Lowell by Mayor Perry D. Thompson, the appointment to take effect at once.

Dr. Rodger succeeds Dr. Marshall L. Ming, who left the position last spring to enter the national service. In the interim, Dr. T. E. Smith has been performing the duties of the office temporarily. The new bacteriologist has just returned from France where he served as a lieutenant in the medical corps of the 26th division. He saw considerable experience "over there." Previously, he had specialized in bacteriology and has been deeply interested in it since his return from the front. He was endorsed by the state board of health for the position and his name was taken from the civil service list.

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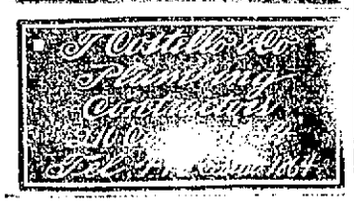

AGREE ON 13th, WILSON'S DAY

Final Draft of the Society of Nations Was Adopted Yesterday

Today's Session One of Most Important in History—International Army Beaten

PARIS, Feb. 14. (By the Associated Press.)—The plenary session of the peace conference to be held in the famous clock room of the foreign office this afternoon may mark the conclusion of the first and possibly the most important phase of the world's greatest international gathering. Subjects of great import are still to come before subsequent meetings, but in the opinion of qualified students of the history of other conferences, the adjournment of today's session may reveal that the foundation for the settlement of all questions that will follow has been laid.

The view taken by many delegates early in the conference was that nearly every important subject to be ad-

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PRES. WILSON TO BRING PLAN OF LEAGUE

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The plan for the creation of the league of nations which President Wilson will take with him to the United States will not be in condition to permit action by the United States senate until the treaty of peace is confirmed.

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U. S. PAYMASTERS ARE ROBBED OF $12,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Two assistant paymasters of the United States shipping board were held up and robbed of $12,000 in the heart of Brooklyn, today, according to a report received at police headquarters.

Meagre information available was to the effect that the robbers employed a taxicab.

TO CALL SYMPATHETIC STRIKE IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—The committee in charge of the strike of textile operatives here who are seeking to enforce demands for 54 hours' pay for 48 hours' work, voted today to take steps looking toward the calling of a general sympathetic strike throughout the city. The meeting was private and the announcement gave no details.

The statement also said that the matter of demanding pay for all the time that the operatives are on strike was discussed.

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NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

Locks and Canals Chief Engineer Recommends Release of Land on Common

Arthur T. Safford, chief engineer of the Locks and Canals, agreed this morning to recommend to the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals that they grant a release to the city of Lowell so that it may use certain land on the South common without restriction for the erection of an addition to the Edson school or an entirely new school.

The agreement was reached at a conference held in the office of City Solicitor William D. Regan. In addition to Messrs. Safford and Regan there were present William E. Badger, assistant engineer of the Locks and Canals, Mayor Perry D. Thompson and Richard Brabrook Walsh, chairman of the school committee.

J. M. WALTON

Interviewing Mr. Walton, at Dows' Drug Store, Merrimack Square, yesterday concerning Vitalitas, he had this to say: "It is certainly gratifying to me to hear so many nice things said about America's supreme remedy.

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Kindly note the names of a few Lowell people who say that Vitalitas has no equal. Ambrose Dancouse, 282 Cross Street, Mrs. William McGraw, 527 S. Broadway, Mrs. Seth Kimball, 22 Wedge Street, Miss V. Woodfender, 17 Wilson Street, Chas. H. Luscomb, 121 Powell Street, Mrs. G. A. Heaps, 103 Congress Street, Thomas E. Frasier, 118 Walker Street, Mrs. Frank Trull, 10 Fifth Street, Henry H. Buck, 188 South Street, James Hodgon, 161 Appleton Street, and A. Barnes, 127 Fort Hill Ave.

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MRS. SKEELS OUT ON BAIL

Woman Charged With Murder Released on Account of Her Serious Illness

Permitted To Go to Home of Her Fiance—Trial Indefinitely Postponed

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Bessie May Skeels, who has been under arrest since last August, charged with the murder of Florence W. Gay, was released on $1000 bail today and permitted to go to the home of her fiance, Alfred J. Lundgren, in Andover. The necessary surety was furnished by Charles A. Salisbury, the county probation officer.

The release of Mrs. Skeels, which was said to be almost without precedent in this state was ordered by Chief Justice John A. Aiken of the superior court because of the woman's serious illness. At the same time officials announced that the trial, set for March 3, had been indefinitely postponed. The acceptance of the probation officer as surety was considered merely a formality.

Mrs. Skeels was employed as a nurse in the home of Miss Gay at Andover at the time of the latter's death from poison.

After her arrest, an indictment on a similar charge was found against Mrs. Skeels in New Jersey, in connection with the death of a member of her family there.

NOTICE

LOCAL 104, H. P. of N. A.

There will be a special meeting this evening in the Trades and Labor Council hall on Central street at 8 o'clock. Business of importance.

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IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Woman Who Fell Down Flight of Stairs Now at Corporation Hospital

Mrs. Alma W. Fisher, an elderly lady residing at 173 School street, is in a serious condition at the Lowell Corporation hospital as a result of falling down a flight of stairs in the building known as the Keefe block at Broadway and School streets about 5.30 yesterday afternoon. Her left shoulder was dislocated by the fall and the hospital officials report that a hemorrhage has developed. She was in a very serious condition this afternoon.

As far as can be learned Mrs. Fisher was intending to visit a Mrs. Benton on the second floor of the place in question but did not see her. Whether she was attacked by illness or stumbled is not known, but she was found in the lower corridor of the building by a Mrs. Riley. The ambulance was summoned and the woman sent to the Corporation hospital.

WILSON ADDRESSES AMERICAN PEACE DELEGATIONS BEFORE SEEING PARIS

PARIS, Feb. 14.—President Wilson arrived at the Hotel de Crillon at 10 o'clock this morning and immediately called a meeting of the American peace delegation. He addressed the meeting and went over with the other delegates the ground already covered and discussed their attitude during his absence in the United States.

THE SUN EXTRA

For full text of covenant of League of Nations see The Sun extra.

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United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and Four Other States, the Executive Council

President of United States To Call First Meeting—League To Take Any Action Necessary To Safeguard Peace of Nations—No Secret Naval or Military Plans

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The executive council of the proposed league of nations, as outlined in the covenant read by President Wilson today, will consist of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, with representatives of four other states.

The council shall meet as often as is necessary, but at least once a year at whatever place may be designated. Any matter within the sphere of action of the league or affecting the peace of the world, will be dealt with.

PRES. WILSON TO CALL FIRST MEETING

The president of the United States is to summon the first meeting of the body of delegates and the executive council.

The league will have a secretariat under the direction of a secretary-general who shall appoint the other members. The secretary-general shall act in that capacity at all meetings.

The representatives of the high contracting parties and the officials of the league shall have diplomatic privileges and immunity. The buildings occupied by the league or its officials shall enjoy extra-territorial benefits.

ADMIT ONLY SELF GOVERNING COUNTRIES

The admission of states signatory to the covenant shall be with the assent of not less than two-thirds of the states represented in the body of delegates and shall be limited to fully self-governing countries.

No state shall be admitted unless it gives effective guarantees to observe international obligations and unless it shall conform to conditions prescribed by the league in regard to its naval and military forces and armament.

PROTECTION AGAINST AGGRESSION

The high contracting parties undertake to respect and preserve the

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"FALSE DEMOCRACY" IS SCORED BY LOWDEN

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois addressed the members of the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday afternoon. He was accompanied to the house chamber by Gov. Coolidge.

In praising Massachusetts for its democracy he condemned the "false democracy" which gives a "despotic majority" power to usurp the rights of the minority. He assailed the "democracy brought from Russia" and said our soldiers will "fight the mob" as truly as they fought against Germany. Gov. Lowden complimented the legislature on the spirit of co-operation among the two branches.

The house voted to refer to the next legislature the petition of Franklin F. Foundy for an investigation by the public service commission as to the neglect of the Boston Elevated Railway Co. to comply with the order of the commission to extend its tracks in Broadway, formerly Pleasant street, in Boston. Similar action was taken on the petition of Francis J. W. Ford for an investigation of the coal business in Boston.

Palestine Resolution

Without debate or opposition, the house adopted the resolutions in favor of the Jewish state in Palestine and for an appropriation by congress for six months additional salary for soldiers discharged from service.

John H. Hudson petitioned that cities and towns be authorized to appropriate money for additional compensation for their citizens who served in the European war.

Committee reports:

Military affairs—Bill to advance the rank of James P. Clare from major to colonel; advancing the rank of the adjutant general from lieutenant colonel to that of brigadier general; resolution favoring an early discharge from the United States army of all soldiers, except those in the regular army, who desire to be discharged; bill to allow four cents a mill each way for travel by members of the militia by the most direct route of railroad transportation; an appropriation of $2143 to the New Haven railroad for transportation of men of the Massachusetts state guard to encampments in 1915.

Insurance—Bill to provide that agents or brokers who make contracts of insurance shall be regarded as agents of the company, no matter what is said in the contract or policy.

When coffee disagrees try INSTANT POSTUM a few days. You'll probably continue using POSTUM

SCHOOL BOARD GRANTS SALARY INCREASES

More increases in salaries were granted by the school committee to a number of school officials at a meeting of the committee late yesterday afternoon. Those affected and the salary which they will receive under the new schedule are as follows:

Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent, $3500; Herbert H. Bixby, headmaster of the high school, $3200; William F. Thornton, head attendance officer, $2600; John J. Walker, attendance officer, $1540; Camile Roussin, attendance officer, $1430; Henry L. Williams, attendance officer and supply agent, $2600; Frederick Johnson, clerk in the supply department, $1687; Pamela A. Thompson, clerk in the superintendent's office, $1100.

The increases were voted unanimously, Dr. William B. Thompson, although not present at the meeting, requested that he be recorded as voting in the affirmative.

It was voted to continue the Americanization classes in the schools during the week of Feb. 21 despite the fact that the regular evening school classes will enjoy a vacation during that week.

Instructions were given to the superintendent to advertise a hearing to be given residents of the Highlands Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, at 8 o'clock, as a result of their petitions for a new school house.

Resignations of the following teachers were accepted and a vote of thanks for faithful service extended: James F. Peebles, vocational school; Agnes Bailey, Varnum school; Mrs. Susan Griffin O'Brien, Washington school; Mrs. Frances Noonan McKinley, Moody school.

THE VALENTINE CLUB

The Valentine club held forth at Lincoln hall last evening in its annual social and dance and over 200 couples were on hand to share in the festivities. A feature of the event was the prize waltz, in which a cash prize was the award. It was won by Frank McGlinchey and Miss Hazel Miner. The judges were Patrick Paly and Frank McLaughlin.

The officers of the dance were: General manager, Robert Cassidy; assistant, Jack Gleason; floor director, Thomas Carmody; assistant, Patrick Conway; chief aid, Joseph Carmody, and treasurer, Joseph Markham. Markham's orchestra furnished the dance music for the evening.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Take the kiddies down to the Keith theatre Saturday afternoon and give them the chance to ride the Sunland ponies there. The ponies are pretty and tractable and every child who presents himself after the performance will be given the opportunity to see how it seems to be on the back of the little horses. This act is one of surpassing beauty, and not only are there five ponies in it but also there are children who do a circus stunt of much merit which provides a delightful finish to the act. A bronco and a collie dog are also used to advantage.

The bill as a whole has many likeable features. "Morning Glory," a very attractive little comedy, is presented by Noel Travers and Irene Douglas. They are players who have come from the legitimate stage and their efforts are, therefore, all the more those of seasoned performers. The little play has many good points. A coherent story is told and there is good comedy sifting in now and then.

Frank Orth and Anne Cody offer the act called "Let's Take a Walk." It is an old idea brought up to date and quite thoroughly amusing. There have been many vaudevillians who employed this medium of funmaking, but few of them have done so with so great a measure of success.

The Three Teoh Girls are singers, who array themselves in the costumes of Italy. (Two of them are Italians.) They give a variety of good numbers. Fred Allen is trying to get along. He invites applause at every turn, and gets a lot of it. Fred is funny to look at, and he is funny to see in action. Holland and Ray talk and dance, and Claire and Atwood are acrobatic funmakers.

A film play with lots of comedy touches, and the Pathe News Pictorial are also to be found on the bill. All in all it is a well balanced show.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Mystery and suspense are two of the greatest elements in "The Unknown Voice," which is being presented this week at the Lowell Opera House by the Emerson All Star Players. Seldom does a play move through three acts before the audience is "let in on" the solution to a murder mystery. During the progress of the piece the finger of suspicion points to many of the characters, and one is in a quandary as to who is the guilty person. You eventually find out, but not until the very close of the last act. See it and enjoy it. Next week "The Wife He Bought," a story of a girl who was sold to save her father, will be presented.

THE STRAND

"For Freedom," the latest screen feature in which William Farnum is appearing at the Strand, touches on the great war, but is based more on the miscarriage of justice and the right of a convict to a "square deal." The story is that of a man falsely accused and imprisoned, who at the outbreak of the war wins a parole that he may be permitted to fight for his country. How he makes good is told in a wonderfully interesting manner. "The Temple of Duck," in which Sessue Hayakawa, the great Japanese star, is featured, is another one of those superior kind of film offerings. It's one of this star's greatest picture efforts. The remainder of the bill is rounded out by a varied assortment of screen creations, including the Universal Weekly.

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Ribbed cotton, fleece lined, broken sizes. Regular price $1.75. Clearance Price..... $1.00

BOYS' WOOL COAT SWEATERS
All colors. Regular price $3.00 and $3.50. Clearance Price..... $2.50

MEN'S GRAY FLANNEL SHIRTS
All sizes. Regular price $3.00 and $3.50. Clearance Price..... $2.50

MEN'S SILK AND WOOL HOSE
In black and oxford. Regular price $1.50. Clearance Price, Pair $1.00

MEN'S KHAKI FLANNEL SHIRTS
All sizes. Regular price $3.00. Clearance Price $2.00

MEN'S BROWN KNIT ALL WOOL HOSE
Medium and heavy weight, in black, gray and heather. Regular price $1.50 and $1.75. Clearance Price, Pair..... $1.00

FAREWELL BANQUET

Overseer Clark Chrysler, the popular and efficient foreman of the loading department of the United States Cartridge Co., was given a farewell banquet at the Market street plant last evening, and a large gathering of friends and employes were on hand for the occasion. Supt. Gerald Cahill made a few brief remarks on the efficiency of the loading department under Mr. Chrysler's effective leadership, and this was followed by several pleasing selections by the Fixer's quartet. Dancing and games were a feature of the evening's festivities and Mr. Chrysler was given three cheers and a tiger after he had repsonded to his insistent admirers and in a few well chosen words paid a tribute to their loyalty and good fellowship during the time they had worked together in the interest of Uncle Sam. The success of the affair was due to the untiring efforts of the following committee: Mrs. Racheal Campbell, Miss Loretta Carney, Mrs. Charles N. Taylor, Clarence Kheare, Charles Taylor and John Pender.

MEN'S CLUB OF THE GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH HEAR JOHN F. SALMON

John F. Salmon, Knights of Columbus overseas secretary, spoke last evening before the Men's club of the Grace Universalist church, of his work among the soldiers in France. Always interesting, Secretary Salmon told an absorbing story of his adventures and kept the attention of his audience for more than an hour.

Supper was served at 6 o'clock, followed by a short business meeting and social hour. Mr. Salmon told of his experiences during air raids on Paris, when he was pitched through an open window by the explosion of a bomb.

After describing conditions at Bordeaux, one of the receiving points at which the American doughboys were pouring into France, he devoted the greater part of his talk to the scenes and experiences up at the front line trenches, the drive at the Meuse, St. Mihiel, Verdun and other places. He told of meeting several of the Lowell boys "over there." In closing he made a plea for the returning soldiers from over seas. The speaker told what pleasure it gave him while he was in Paris to be approached by another American and greeted, and what great disappointment it was to be passed up by those whom he knew were from this country. The same rule applies right here at home, he said. "Go out of your way occasionally to make the returning soldier feel that his efforts over there have been appreciated," said Mr. Salmon. "And if by chance he might overstep the bounds of propriety, forgive him. He's entitled to it."

Felton L. Moody, president of the club, and several of the members acted as a committee on arrangements.

UNIVERSAL CLUB DANCE

Hibernian hall was a bower of beauty last evening, the occasion being the third annual dance of the Universal club and nearly 200 couples turned out for the event. Broderick's orchestra furnished the music and an enjoyable time was had by all present. The officers of the dance were: General manager, Thomas Nevin; assistant, Daniel Kiley, floor director, Jack Gash; assistant, Daniel McNabb and chief aid, Philip Farrell.

If you want quick returns try a classified ad in The Sun, Lowell's greatest newspaper.

S.T.C. CLUB DANCE

One of the most successful dancing parties of the year was held last evening by the S.T.C. club, the occasion being the first annual social and dance by this popular organization. St. Anne's parish house was the setting chosen for the festivities, and the large crowd tripped the light fantastic until a late hour, with Duntey's novelty orchestra furnishing the music. The officers in charge were: General manager, William Heller; assistant general manager, Miss Clara Dainton; floor director, Miss Eleanor Pope, and chief aid, Miss Humphries.

LENOX ORCHESTRA DANCE

The Lenox orchestra of Boston held forth at Associate hall last evening, and as usual, a large crowd of merrymakers were on hand for the occasion. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

Had Nervous Indigestion

This Springfield Woman Found Speedy Relief When She Used the Tonic Treatment

There are more ways than one of wasting food. Sufferers from stomach trouble, such as dyspepsia and nervous indigestion, are food wasters as much as the housewife who throws away half-consumed portions of food. When the food is taken into the stomach and ferments, causing acute distress, that food is worse than wasted and it were better for the comfort of the victim if it hadn't been eaten.

The blood must be healthy if the processes of digestion are to take place naturally. Good blood carries the nourishment from the food to all parts of the body building up nerve and muscle. If the blood is thin and weak the nerves are starved and revolt. When the nerves of the stomach rebel the digestive processes are upset, gas forms, sleeplessness and weakness are almost a direct consequence and severe headaches occur frequently.

The value of building up the blood in cases of nervous indigestion is illustrated in the case of Mrs. S. Lewis of 160 College street, Springfield, Mass. She says:

"I had nervous indigestion for about four years. I first noticed that I was losing flesh and felt miserable much of the time. I had severe nervous spells. I suffered from pain after eating, especially in my left side. I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills recommended in the papers and gave them a trial. I noticed improvement while I was taking the first box and took four boxes altogether. I can truthfully say that the pills have certainly helped my stomach and that I feel better than I have in a long time and shall use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills whenever I need a tonic."

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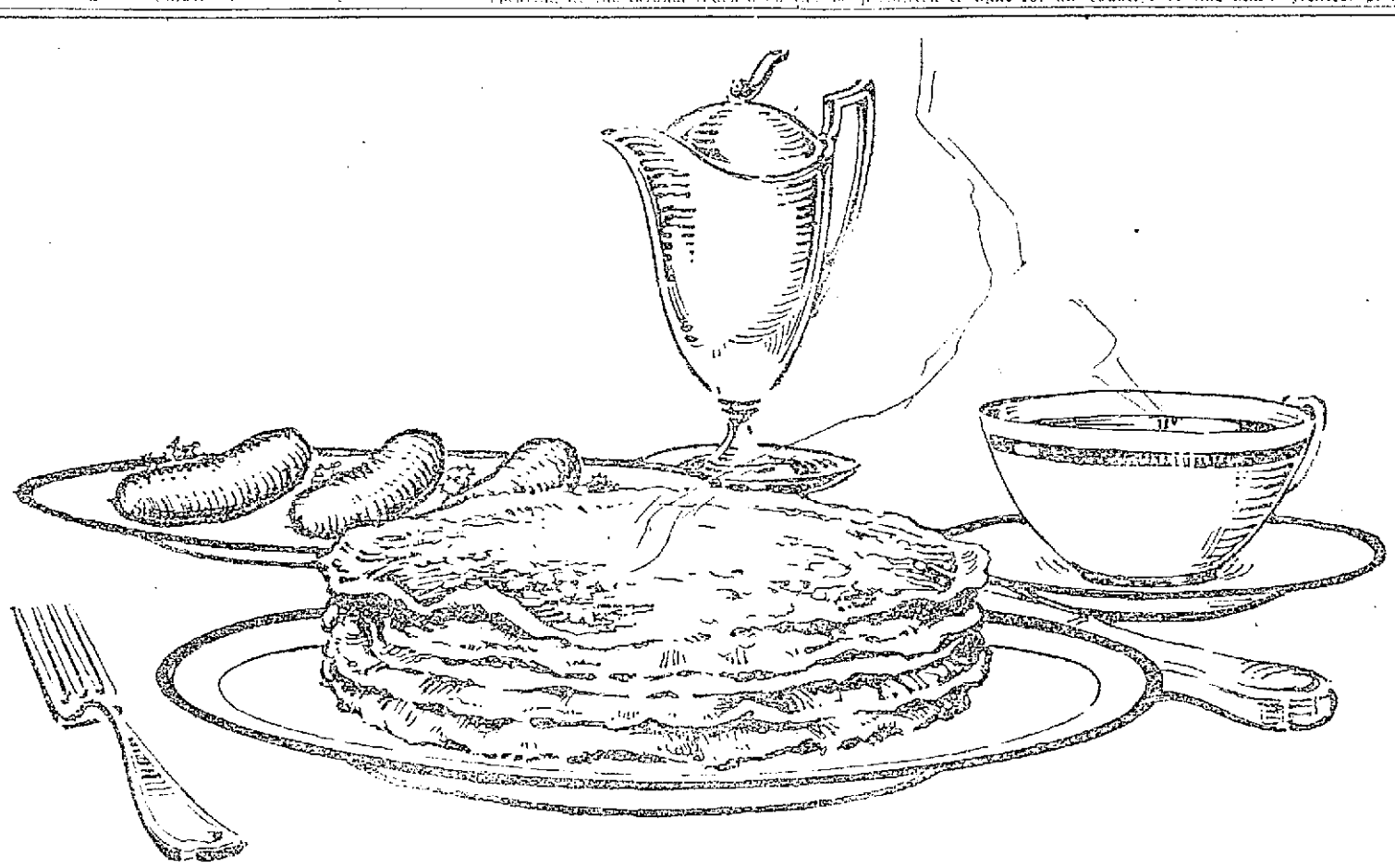

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ARRESTED FOR MURDER OF BOSTON OFFICER

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—John Dillon was arrested in Somerville today charged with the murder of Charles E. Deininger, a Boston police officer, who was shot last night while endeavoring to arrest several alleged automobile thieves in Chelsea.

Patrolman Deininger of the Hanover st. police station was fatally shot, and John Donnelly, Spring ave., Revere, a sailor, was shot in the leg, in front of a garage at 14 Winthrop road, Chelsea, about 8 last evening, where Deininger in company with Reserve Officer William J. Shea, also of the Hanover street station, had gone in search of a light automobile alleged to have been stolen from Hanover street about 6 o'clock.

The shooting was done by a man wearing a fur coat, who had driven up to the garage in a big gray touring car containing two other men. Following the shooting this car sped away and the men escaped.

Late last night the police of Revere took into custody James Colonna, a chauffeur, as he pulled his automobile into a garage in that city. It is alleged he drove three men in his car from Bowdoin square earlier in the evening and the police say his car corresponds with the description furnished them of the car that contained the gunmen.

Found Stolen Auto

Deininger had been a member of the Boston police department for about 16 years, nearly all of which time he was connected with the Hanover street station. He had previously been a Boston fireman. He was one of the best-liked men at the station and frequently had been called upon to perform special work. His home was at 99 Amherst street, Roslindale.

Deininger and Shea were directed to go to Chelsea to ascertain the whereabouts of the stolen automobile, and it is claimed they located it in the Winthrop Road garage.

Believing that the thieves would return, the officers set a watch upon the place and it was while they were so engaged, in company with officers of the Chelsea department, that the big gray touring car with three men in it, drove up.

Just what words passed is not known but it is stated that shots were fired, one of them striking Deininger in the head and causing him to fall to the street. A second shot struck Donnelly, the sailor, who was passing.

It is said the gray car was driven off in the direction of Revere.

Deininger Dies at Hospital

Deininger and Donnelly were sent to the Frost hospital, where the former died within a short time. Donnelly's wound is not serious.

The trail of the gray car was taken up by the Chelsea police, and the Revere police were asked to assist. More than two hours later it is said that a gray car was found in a garage in that city, and as a result of inquiries Colonna was taken to the Revere police station on suspicion and questioned.

Colonna, it is said, runs an automobile from Bowdoin square, and the police charge that the men concerned in the shooting boarded an automobile at that point.

The police of this city, Chelsea and Revere are busy searching for the three occupants of the car.

FOUR CORNERS TO THIS AFFAIR

NEW YORK, Feb. 14. — Columbia, Pennsylvania, Dartmouth and Cornell are to form a four-cornered athletic association, acording to a report which was current today. Lovering Tyson, graduate manager of athletics at Columbia, while refusing to discuss the proposed organization, would neither affirm or deny the report.

"I can say nothing at this time," said Mr. Tyson at his office at Columbia, "and if any statement is made it will have to come from a source other than myself."

The objects of the association, according to the report, are to promote relations in football, baseball and track athletics. One of the proposals is for interlocking schedules in baseball and for a four-cornered track and field meet in May.

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Sporting News and Newsy Sports

GARRISON FINISH GIVES LOWELL VICTORY

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Lowell	38	27	58.5
Salem	35	27	56.5
Providence	33	31	51.6
Worcester	28	32	46.7
New Bedford	29	32	47.5
Lawrence	23	37	38.3

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Salem 6, Worcester 1.
Lowell 6, Providence ..

TONIGHT'S GAMES

Lawrence at Lowell.
Salem at New Bedford.
Worcester at Providence.

In a garrison finish that brought the fans to their feet, Lowell came to the front and won from Providence in a fast, clean and stubbornly fought game of polo at the Crescent rink last night. The score was 6 to 5.

Fans realizing that games between these two teams are always of the classy order came prepared for a hard struggle and none went away disappointed. Barney Doherty, who has hallocking down to perfection, always gives the Lowell offensive men considerable trouble, and he was right in his element last night, and put up as good a blocking exhibition as one would care to see. Lovegreen at goal for the visitors had a banner night, and his remarkable working abilities were greatly responsible for keeping Lowell's score down.

The Gold Bugs got the jump, after Hart had opened with a foul for Lowell, Thompson and Williams each scored two, and just before the period ended, Hart passed through another for Lowell. With the score four to two against us, it looked rather bad, but when the famous Hart-Harkins-Griffith combination got busy in the second session, it was "good night" for the Gold Bugs. Hart drove in three for Lowell, putting the Harkins crew in front, and just before the period ended Thompson came through with one that tied the count.

With the score five all as the last period opened, the fans yelled hard for Lowell to round. Their efforts were soon answered, for Hart tallied with his each of the night. This was the final goal of the game, but both teams played strenuously to increase their scores, but the goal tenders were in rare form, and prevented further scoring.

Hart's drives, Harkins feeding, Griffith covering of Williams and Thompson, with Asquith blocking, proved too strong a combination for the clam diggers, but the game was a battle all the way and the large crowd voiced its approval many times during the evening. The score:

LOWELL.	PROVIDENCE
Hart, 1r	1r, Williams
Harkins, 2r	2r, Thompson
Griffith, c	c, Muirhead
Asquith, h	h, Doherty
Peace, g	g, Lovegreen

FIRST PERIOD

Won by	Caged by	Time
Lowell	Hart	.10
Providence	Thompson	3.50
Providence	Williams	4.05
Providence	Williams	5.00
Providence	Thompson	1.15
Lowell	Hart	2.05

SECOND PERIOD

Lowell	Hart	1.05
Lowell	Hart	2.15
Lowell	Hart	1.20
Providence	Thompson	3.25

THIRD PERIOD

Lowell	Hart	1.15

Summary: Score: Lowell 6, Providence 5. Rushes: Hart 5, Williams 9. Stops: Peace 47, Lovegreen 71. Referee: Graham. Timer: Sullivan.

POLO NOTES

The Lawrence team, composed of Captain Hardy, Blount, Harrold, Fahrner and Quigley, the latter recently imported from the west, will play Lowell at the Crescent rink tonight and a red hot game is expected. This will mark the first appearance of Quigley in Lowell and fans are anxious to give the whirlwind the once over. Lawrence papers and fans say he's "the goods," and they feel confident that the team will make a garrison finish.

Lawrence last year made a bad start, but following the acquisition of "Big Fred" Jean, the team went like a house afire and in the final weeks of the season the down-river aggregation made them all sit up and take notice. The team experienced the same difficulty in getting started this year, but now it is thought that a winning combination has been assembled, and from now on our "rivals" expect to be in the hunt.

That game between Salem and an All Star aggregation composed of Red Williams, Harkins, Higgins, Griffith, Doherty and Conley should be some scrap. We don't know who picked the "All Stars," but who ever did the job did his work well. While All-star organizations have often gone down to defeat, we feel that if the other members play the game as Harkins and Griffith play it, the Salem club will be on the short end of the score.

The Worcester Telegram pays a fine tribute to "Bob" Griffith, Lowell's star centre, for his great work in stopping "Skeeter" Higgins the other night. It says: "There was not any question of the merit of the Lowell victory. The champions outplayed the Worcesters in every department. If there was one player more than another in whom the difference was manifest, it was in the struggle between Griffith and Higgins. For many a year they have fought it out with varying successes, the center being the only defense man credited with a speed sufficient to block Higgins.

"It was all Griffith last night. There have been battles between them in other games this season in which Higgins evaded his opponent and made plays for the cage. Last night it was the other way. Griffith stopped Higgins every time he came on the floor. The rusher sometimes tried to get the ball past, intending to let Slater slip it back to him after he got by Griffith. The plan didn't work, for the very simple reason that he did not get by Griffith. The capable Lowell centre jumped the same length that Higgins did, when the latter tried to get past. The rusher found his bulkier opponent in front of him. The ball was thus of little value to Worcester.

"It was rendered of even less value by the excellent blocking game that Asquith played. The light halfback rendered Slater's work ineffective. He either interfered with Slater's handling of the ball or shoved the rusher into the side of the rink and tied him up there."

If now looks as if "Bob" Hart will again set the pace for the goal getters this week. Hart and Harkins have perfected a combination that has "em all stopped. Harkins does the "feeding" and Hart the driving. Both are experts, and consequently, when the ball is rolling their way, opposing teams have little chance to win.

Asquith continues to improve, particularly in his handling of the ball. His blocking was always good, but his passing was a trifle off. Now he has got the trick of "crossing" his opponents and giving the ball to his rushes, and this improvement makes him a "handy man to have around the rink."

Griffith gave a splendid exhibition of "covering" last night, in watching Williams and Thompson. "Grif" had some job on his hands but he filled the bill in an exceptionally clever manner.

Lovegreen's work at goal last night was of a very classy variety.

GRANT ANNOUNCES NEW DEPARTURE

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—George W. Grant, owner of the Boston Braves, yesterday announced a new plan which should prove popular and which is in keeping with his announced policy when he took over the club three weeks ago, which was, in effect, that he proposed to give the Boston baseball public the consideration to which it was entitled.

The change amounts practically to a reduction in prices of admission.

He announced that the entire grandstand at Braves Field, with the exception of the box seats, will be unreserved for all championship games played there this season, except on holiday afternoons. This means that seats in the grandstand, box seats excepted, will be available to the fans at the admission price of 75 cents, plus the war tax, instead of having 5000 or 4000 of the best of them reserved, as heretofore. This will make Braves Field the only major league baseball park at which such a rule will obtain.

"I believe in giving the baseball public all I can give it for its money," said Mr. Grant in explaining the change, "and so there will be no reservation in the grandstand, except the box seats, and a small number of the other seats on holiday afternoons, which is done for the convenience of patrons, who wish to make sure of reservations."

The prices of some of the box seats will be reduced. The seats in the first row of boxes will remain at $1.50, plus the war tax, but the second and third rows, formerly sold at the same price, [illegible] the war tax. The price [illegible] on holidays will be the same as every other day.

"I cannot see the sense of having [illegible] of these seats vacant, and compelling the patrons of the game to see the play from further back," Mr. Grant.

GEORGE TYLER TO SIGN CONTRACT

George Tyler of this city, star outfielder of Mitchell's Chicago Cubs, has received his 1919 contract, and finding the terms contained therein perfectly satisfactory, will immediately sign it and return it to the club offices.

Tyler has been informed by his manager that he will be expected to report in Chicago March 19, when the club leaves for its spring training trip to Pasadena, Cal. The Lowell hurler expects a good season, both for himself and the Cubs, with the possibility of another pennant in the older organization and eventually another crack at the world series flag.

CALDWELL FIT FOR 1000-YARD RUN

Dave Caldwell of the B.A.A. is in fine fettle for the 1000-yard run for the Curley trophy at the service meet in the East armory at Boston, tomorrow night. Dave has two legs on the cup already and Joe Higgins of Holy Cross, one, but the latter will not be able to compete this year. Those persons who attended the meet when Caldwell won the yearly event for the second time in a wonderful race with Higgins and Mike Devaney, in 2.15, then a world's indoor record, are looking forward to some rare sport Saturday night. Devaney would like to come to Boston for the race, but is classed as a doubtful starter. However, Rawlen of Tech has been groomed for the event, and Nightingale of N. H. State and Harry Paine of the B.A.A. are sure to make the going fast.

ST. PATRICK'S FIVE WINS

The St. Patrick's school eighth grade basketball quintet yesterday defeated a representative five from the Mann school by an overwhelming score of 44 to 0. Ashe and Prindeville starred for the Acres, each scoring 18 points, while T. Prindeville did the individual playing for the Mann school. St. Patrick's eighth grade team challenges any grammar school five in the city.

LAWRENCE BOUTS

Murphy "Subs" For Adair—Draws With Bogash

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—"Bud" Murphy of Syracuse, N. Y., was substituted for Barney Adair before the Unity club last night and gave Louis Bogash, New England lightweight champion of Bridgeport, a hard battle. The decision was a draw.

Sammy Jensky won the decision over Vic Moran, Young Goulette over Joe Delmont and Kid Francis over Dave Croan in the preliminaries.

BIG BOWLING MATCH

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 14.—McConville and Pride have accepted the challenge of Paul Dorbler and "Red" Miller, Boston bowlers, for a match, in or more strings, to be bowled in each city. The Portland men, formerly state champion and present title holder respectively, defeated Archie Walsh and James Whalen in 2 strings in a recent match. Negotiations are on for the dates and amount of prize money.

NO MORE CIRCUS FOR WILLARD

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 14.—Jess Willard, heavyweight champion of the world, is no longer proprietor of a circus. The Kansas rancher and king of pugilists came to Kansas City yesterday and disposed of his circus train and equipment for $17,000. This does not include any of the animals that were with Willard's Wild West show when he toured the country in 1917. He sold the animals more than a year ago.

Willard is now interested only in oil leases and his ranch near Lawrence, Kas., where he makes his home. He went into the show business during the summer of 1917, when he was under the management of Tom Jones and Jack Curley. The champion was traveling with the circus, meeting all comers. He wanted to get rid of Jones and Curley, so he bought the circus and told his manager he was through with them.

The circus was a success under the champion's management, but he decided not to take the road again this year because war conditions made the show business unprofitable in 1918.

The champion is doing some light training in preparation for his bout with Jack Dempsey July 4, which will be promoted by Tex Rickard. Jess says he has not heard from Rickard since the promoter was in Kansas City.

SPORTING GOSSIP

At a gathering of baseball patrons and newspapermen in New York yesterday the Capt. Edward L. Grant Memorial association was formed for the purpose of providing a fitting memorial for a soldier who made the supreme sacrifice in France; for a baseball player who was a credit to the game, for a patriot and a man." Capt. Grant was killed in the Argonne Oct. 1. He was a member of the New York National league team when he enlisted in the officers' training school at Plattsburg in May, 1917. John J. McGraw of the New York club was elected president of the association, Sam Crane, secretary, and John B. Foster, treasurer. "Eddie" Grant will ever be remembered by the people in the shadow of Coogan's Bluff.

Connie Mack signed the sixth of his old players for the year yesterday when he received Tillie Walker's contract. Some doubt had been expressed whether or not the fleet-footed outfielder would fall in line this season, but the papers seem to dispel these fears. Mack needs the former Red Sox man in his trio of outfield gardeners.

Joe Cooney, former Worcester shortstop, may be the next shortstop of the Cincinnati club of Washington and the St. Louis Browns can be talked out of seeking his services. President Frazee, who holds Cooney on the Red Sox list, wishes to see him make his major league debut with Harry Ferrarini's team, one has said: "I would never let him go to any club if I didn't have Scott and McNally, and I'd like to see the boy with Cincinnati. It's hard enough to get such a player out of the American league. Washington, with John Lavan sticking to the navy, needs him, and St. Louis is anxious to get a shortstop who can hit."

Olympic games held in the next two or three years would see little more than that meeting between United States and Sweden, as Ireland and France will be in no condition to talk these big games for some time to come.

Mike Ryan, athletic director at Camp Upton, has picked three of the men who will run against George Brown's first naval district relay at the Millrose A.A. games. Lieut. Larry Scudder, the former Penn star; Lieut. Hultz, the Syracuse middler and quarter-miler, and the speedy Abel Kivlat are the men selected.

Frank "Wild Fire" Schulte, former Cub and later with Washington, has signed to manage the Binghamton team of the International league this year.

Letters From Lowell Soldiers

Mrs. P. F. Kearney of 20 Talbot avenue, North Billerica has received the following interesting letter from her son, Corp. Austin H. Kearney of Battery A, 71st Field Artillery, overseas, in which he encloses the Christmas eve message of the colonel commanding his outfit:

St. Sylvain, France, Dec. 28, 1918.

Dear Mother: I haven't written you for some time, the reason being that I thought I would be home before the letter. I haven't written to anybody for five or six weeks.

Yesterday was Christmas and we sure had a good time, considering how we are fixed. We had reveille at 7.30 and each soldier received a package with two chocolate bars, a package of cigarets, a cigar and a can of tobacco. There was no drilling all day. We had a big turkey dinner with cake, pie, celery, boiled onions, mashed potatoes, etc. Long tables were set in an old church and we were each given a menu together with a roster of Battery A and Battery B, the first battalion of the well known 71st regiment.

The pillars and old arches had very pretty holly decorations and a large holly bell in the centre with an American flag over the altar. The first battalion includes about 500 or 600 men.

After dinner I got a pass and went into Angers, a city much larger than Lowell and not quite so large as Boston. We stayed until about 6 o'clock and as we didn't happen to meet any of our trucks on the way, we had to walk all the way back—about nine kilometres.

Just got in St. Sylvain in time to get to our minstrel show which was also held in this old church. It sure was "some" show and we really had an enjoyable time, although I was thinking every little while of home and the folks.

To top it all, I received my Christmas box and I'll just have to wait until I get home to tell you how glad I was to get it. I also got several letters. I haven't replied because we thought we were going home, but as far as we know it won't be for a little while.

Please excuse my writing as I am lying on my side, writing on a board with a candle to give me light. I'll write a longer letter in a few days. I am enclosing our Christmas eve message from our colonel which was read at retreat Christmas eve.

AUSTIN.

WAKEFIELD HIGH COMING TOMORROW NIGHT

Wakefield high is bringing only 13 men to Lowell Saturday night for her dual meet with the local squad, but the representatives of the near-Boston school are all picked men. There is no dead wood in the bunch and each man has been groomed for one special event. Burke, a brother of the Wakefield star of last year and two years previous, will bear the brunt of the work as he is entered in the "thirty," the 440 and 880 yard runs. Levine is another man who will bear close inspection, and he will be hard to beat in the 1000 yards.

Local track followers will remember the Wakefield meet of last year as one of the hardest fought, victory finally swinging Lowell's way through a close decision in the relay race. This Wakefield relay quartet is practically intact again this year and another corking good match is anticipated. Wakefield's coach is high in his praise of the team and expects to reverse last year's result.

The Lowell squad took its final practice this afternoon and all men are reported to be in top condition. It is possible that Capt. Mansur will also be used in the shot put as he has been showing good form in that event this week, and Coach Haggerty is hard up against it for point winners.

Directly after practice today the whole squad went to the Y.M.C.A. to attend the supper to be given by the students of the association. Lieut. James Patterson, intercollegiate 100-yard champion, is the principal speaker.

POLO AT CRESCENT RINK Lawrence vs. Lowell TONIGHT **POLO**

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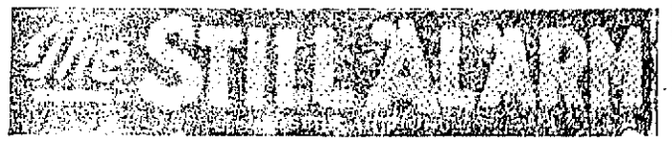

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NOTICE IN THE SUN BRINGS RESULTS

On Wednesday a short item was published in The Sun to the effect that J. R. Goodine of Ocean View, Va., had written to Supt. Welch of the police department in an endeavor to locate Mrs. Josephine Lambert, wife of Louis Lambert, a railroad man. The letter stated that the last heard from Mrs. Lambert was several years ago when she was making her home in Suffolk street near a church.

As usual the notice in The Sun had its effect, for Supt. Welch received no less than ten responses to the article, and one of them was real interesting. Yesterday afternoon a young woman called at the office of the superintendent in Market street but, although she would give no name, she represented herself as the second wife of Louis Lambert. She informed the chief that Mr. Lambert's first wife was dead and that he too passed away several years ago. A few minutes later, however, a young man called at the station and said he was Mr. Lambert's brother-in-law. He stated that Mrs. Josephine Lambert, nee McLeark, died of gas poisoning about nine or ten years ago in a house in Merrimack street in the vicinity of city hall. He also gave the information that Mr. Lambert is living and is now employed as a railroad conductor on the line between Roberval and Lac St. John, Que., and that only a few weeks ago he was a visitor in Lowell with his son and wife. Several other parties confirmed the young man's story and the information received from him was sent to Mr. Goodine.

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DEATHS

CONNELLY—The many friends of Sister Mary Elirius, formerly Miss Annie Connelly of this city, will be grieved to learn of her death which took place yesterday at the convent of the sisters of St. Joseph in Somerville. She was well known in this city, having been in the order only two years and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. She was a graduate of St. Patrick's Girls' academy and was a member of the Immaculate Conception sodality of St. Patrick's parish. Sister Elirius leaves besides her parents, John and Catherine Connelly of 168 Cross street, this city, two brothers, William and Leo, and three sisters, Nora, Esther and Catherine of this city.

ANDERSON—Miss Ida Anderson died yesterday afternoon at St. John's hospital at the age of 58 years, 1 month and 11 days. Miss Anderson was born in Sweden but had been a resident of this city for the past 33 years, residing at 9 Griffin street. She is survived by three brothers, August and John Anderson of this city and Gustaf Anderson of Woburn, and a sister living in Sweden. She was a member of the Swedish Methodist church. Her body will be removed to the home of her brother, 53 South Loring street, today by Undertaker William H. Saunders.

MARSH—James R. Marsh died Wednesday at Masonic home in Charlton, aged 56 years. He was for many years in the tobacco business in Prescott street.

BONDEAU—Clara Bondeau, aged 25 years, died yesterday at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Bondeau, 57 West Fifth avenue. Besides her parents she leaves five brothers and three sisters.

TABOR—Mrs. Anna Tabor, wife of Michael, aged 25 years, died yesterday at her home, 8 Coolan's court.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ANDERSON—Died in this city, Feb. 13, at St. John's hospital, Miss Ida Anderson, aged 58 years 1 month and 11 days. Funeral services will be held at the home of her brother, John Anderson, 53 South Loring st., on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Automobile cortege. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

BARRY—The funeral of Thomas F. Barry will take place Saturday morning from his late home, rear 36 Cross street, at 8 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

BURNS—The funeral of Catherine Burns will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of C. H. Molloy's sons, Market street. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Kindly omit flowers. Friends invited.

KAZANJIAN—The funeral of Elizabeth Kazanjian will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home, 301 High street. Burial will be in Westlawn cemetery, under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

MOORE—The funeral of Mrs. Teresa Moore will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home, 36 Chambers street. Burial will be in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. Undertaker George E. McKenna in charge.

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PRUNING DEPARTMENT ESTIMATES

The work of paring down the estimates for 1919 as submitted by the various city departments will undoubtedly get under way next Monday morning, according to Mayor Thompson. The estimates are practically completed and the heads of the various departments are anxious to have the job over with so that they may go ahead with the year's work unhindered by doubts as to how much money they will have to expend. The time is drawing very near the danger line as the city charter says that the departments may expend money in anticipation of appropriation during only the first two months of the year.

MASS NOTICE

An anniversary high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church, Monday morning at 8 o'clock, for the repose of the soul of Private Thomas J. Quirk, who died in France February 17, 1918.

FUNERALS

ERNEST—Catherine Ernest, aged 21 years, died at the Lowell Hospital and the body was removed to the funeral parlors of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street.

HAZZARD—The funeral of William B. Hazzard took place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his home, 10 Lawrence street, and was largely attended. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

KILLEEN—The funeral of William Killeen took place Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the funeral chapel of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market st. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

MORGAN—The private funeral of Miss Hazel E. Morgan was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her father, George F. Morgan, 552 Chelmsford street. The services were conducted by Rev. Arthur S. Beale, pastor of the Highland Congregational church. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. The bearers were Lieut. Phillip H. Loupret, Charles T. McKenzie, Oliver L. Knapp and Abner C. Maden. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LIBBY—The funeral services of Mrs. Abbie F. Libby were held at the Edson cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon, Rev. Herbert E. Benton, pastor of the Grace Universalist church, officiating. The bearers were Herbert E. Webster, Orren H. Webster, Frederick B. Emerson and Hon. Frederick W. Parnham. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

VHLIG—The funeral of George Edward Vhlig, the seven-year-old son of Herman F. Vhlig, was held from the undertaking rooms of George Carter on Concord road, Billerica, yesterday. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Harold Dale, pastor of the Congregational church. There were many floral offerings. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at Fox Hill cemetery.

LAWTON—Funeral services for Mrs. Helen M. Lawton, wife of Judge Frederick Lawton, took place yesterday afternoon at the First Church, Back Bay, Boston, and were conducted by Rev. Charles E. Park, D.D., the minister of the society. There was no vocal music, but several organ selections were played by John P. Marshall, the church organist, before and following the service. The body was brought to Lowell for burial.

LANG—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Lang took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 102 High street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. Charles Smith, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Thomas Sheehy, Patrick Carty, Mark Gearin and Arthur Devlin. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McQuaid. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MORRIS—The funeral of Miss Hannah Morris took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock from her home, 30 Bourne street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from No. Adams, N. Y., and Dorchester and Boston, Mass. The cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where, at 10 o'clock, a solemn high funeral mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. John Flynn, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. T. Franklin, O.M.I., as subdeacon, and Rev. John Lyons of Holliston, Mass., was present within the sanctuary. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John F. Kelly rendered the Gregorian mass, Mr. Kelly presiding at the organ. There was a profusion of spiritual bouquets. The bearers were Lawrence Kane, Thomas Greene, Dennis Morris and Philip Maguire. At the grave Rev. Fr. Flynn read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CUDWORTH—The funeral of Isabel Cudworth took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of her mother, 16 Stanley street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. James A. Lynch. The choir, directed by Mr. Thomas P. Boulger sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mr. Boulger and Miss Margaret Griffin. Miss Ella M. Reilly presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral offerings from sympathizing relatives and friends. The bearers were Messrs. Timothy Vaughn, Daniel O'Connell, John Aubin, Raymond Wilde, Thomas Delaney and John Toohey. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Lynch read the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

Careless Use of Soap Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary unsifted cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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Fresh Pigs' Shoulders ..... 18¢
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Lamb Chops ..... 25¢
Chicken, cut up ..... 25¢
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Pork Kidney ..... 10¢
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Sirloin Steak ..... 25¢
Butt Steak ..... 25¢

Pork Sausage ..... 15¢
Pickled Tripe ..... 10¢
Pickled Feet ..... 12½¢
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Lettuce ..... 12½¢
Radish ..... 5¢
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Marrow Squash, (3 lb. can) ..... 14¢
Health Bran ..... 11¢
Asparagus Tips ..... 19¢
Sliced Peaches (large can, heavy syrup) 25¢
Tomato Soup ..... 7¢
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Heinz Tomato Catsup ..... 19¢
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24½ lb. Sack $1.45
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Fancy Creamery Butter ..... 49¢ lb.
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Rich Old Tasty Cheese ..... 37¢ lb.
Our Famous Coffee, (fresh roasted).... 29¢ lb.
Fancy Ceylon Tea..... 35¢ lb., 3 lbs. $1.00
Pure Rich Cocoa ..... 23¢ lb.
Marshmallow Mist, (large can)..... 23¢

STERLING MILL AGENT IN HEROIC RESCUE

With an utter disregard for the ice-covered water and his own life, Royal P. White, agent of the Sterling mill, and captain in the state guard, yesterday afternoon, plunged through the thin ice which fringes the Concord river in the rear of the Sterling Co. to rescue Clara Zinck, a girl of 8 years, living at 39 Hudson street.

For some time the child has had the habit of playing around the mill property, which borders on the river, and she was not noticed particularly yesterday afternoon when she was first seen near the river bank. Venturing out on the thin ice the little girl broke through, a cry for help coming from her lips as she sank beneath the surface. Capt. White heard this cry while sitting at his desk in the mill office and dashed out to her rescue. Realizing that he would not be able to reach the child from the thicker ice Capt. White plunged into the open water, which swirled up to his neck, and grasped the girl as she came up for the second time. Other men from the mill also had answered the call and with the help of life-saving apparatus nearby pulled their agent and the child from the numbing water.

The girl was carried into the mill office where she was wrapped in blankets and given stimulants, and afterwards taken to her home in Hudson street. Neither Capt. White nor the little girl showed any ill effects from the icy water last evening. It was an act of true heroism, one which cannot pass unnoticed and unpraised.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either newsstand in the North station.

Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

TELLS SAFE AND SIMPLE WAY TO TREAT AND RELIEVE AT HOME

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parmint (Double Strength.) Take this home and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easy, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucus dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. It is said that nearly 90 per cent. of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and there must, therefore, be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple, harmless, home treatment.—Adv.

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SCOUTS DEMONSTRATE AT KEITH'S THEATRE

Members of the local troops of the Boy Scouts appeared at Keith's theatre last evening for the second public presentation of their anniversary week program and an interested audience thoroughly enjoyed the performance.

The scouts recently appeared at the Strand theatre and on both occasions opportunity was afforded the public to get an inside view of just what the scouts were doing. Last evening they were under the direction of Scoutmaster Fred Timmins. Reid I. Ripley, scout executive, was also present.

Following the call to the colors by Bugler Wilbur Roberts, allegiance to flag and country was pledged and this was most impressive. Troop 26 gave an excellent exhibition of pyramid building and then other troops followed with the semaphore alphabet and the international Morse code. The scout yell, "America" was also given with spirit.

Scoutmaster Timmins spoke briefly on the part which the scouts had played in the world war and also outlined plans for the future. He expressed the hope that there would be further co-operation between the scouts and the general public in the future.

During the regular Keith performance the scouts occupied box seats as the guests of the management. Officials of the local council wish to extend their appreciation to the management of the Strand and Keith's theatres for the various favors which have been done the scouts.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

In connection with the nation-wide observance of father and son week a most enjoyable banquet was held last evening at Calvary Baptist church in Liberty street. After an appetizing supper, came a program of music and speaking.

A number of solos were sung by Earl Leadbetter, accompanied by Miss Marion Leadbetter, and George Stewart entertained with the cornet.

After an invocation by the pastor, Rev. Asa R. Dilts, the toastmaster of the evening, Douglas Walker, who is president of the progressive class, made fitting remarks and introduced the various speakers. An address of welcome was made by Louis Browning, superintendent of the church school, and this was followed by an interesting talk, entitled "A boy's best pal is his dad," by Ernest Craig, one of the progressives.

"A dad's best friend should be his boy" was the subject of some valuable remarks by S. G. Stephens and W. R. Gumb paid tribute to the boys who have "gone west." An address was made by Rev. Walter E. Woodbury, pastor of the Worthen Street Baptist church, and then with the singing of a hymn to fathers to the tune of "Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult," the pleasant evening was concluded.

The banquet was prepared by Mrs. F. A. Hardy, Mrs. J. E. McGregor, Mrs. E. L. Lalime, Mrs. S. G. Stephens, and served by Misses Hazel Hardy, Harriet Hardy, Ethel Dixon, Mildred McGregor and Florence Lalime.

I.W.W. LEADERS TAKEN IN SEATTLE RAIDS

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 14.—Four men, declared to have been leaders in distributing revolution and Industrial Workers of the World propaganda during Seattle's general strike recently, were in jail here today and warrants were out for seven others, charging criminal anarchy following three raids in which 33 additional men were arrested, and are being held for investigation.

Four men have been held on charges of distributing revolutionary propaganda. They are John Axtell, secretary of the propaganda committee of the I.W.W.; William Moran, under-secretary of the I.W.W. Defense council; Walker C. Smith, head of the Equity Printing Co. and alleged publisher and distributor of a strike leaflet headed "Russia did it," which advocated workmen taking over the shipyards, and F. G. Cassidy, candidate for the city council.

Prosecuting Attorney Fred C. Brown, who swore to the complaints upon which the warrants were issued, said: "Members of the Industrial Workers of the World used the general strike of labor in this city as a vehicle with which to start a revolution."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A very enjoyable smoke talk was held last evening in Highland hall under the auspices of Highland council, R.A. The affair was largely attended and proved to be one of the best social events of its kind in a long time. A feature of the affair was an entertainment by Carmine Dimoe, the soldier boy magician, who mystified his audience with numerous card tricks and other interesting stunts. Grand Officer Holgate of Boston and formerly of this city, spoke at length on the good of the order. Refreshments were served. The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Fred E. Jones, O. Phinney and J. E. Lalleur.

Attended Boston Meeting

Among the members of Industry, Lowell and Rochambeau councils who attended the reception given to Field Manager Edward J. Barker of New York at Chipman hall, Boston, Wednesday evening were the following:

Regents Neil A. Clark, Harry Richardson, Alphonse Fortier and John L. Jackson; Thomas H. Wilson, George D. Desrochers, Dr. Joseph A. Mehin, Dr. Hugh Walker, Hon. John J. Hogan, James A. Clark, Charles Fox, Peter Farrington, Lester A. Hill, Robert Bailey, Paul Leduc, George E. Desrochers, David Parthenais, H. Montmarquet, G. Desrosiers and many others.

Catarrh Of the Stomach Is Dangerous

"Thousands Have It and Don't Know It," Says Physician—Frequently Mistaken for Indigestion—How to Recognize and Treat.

"Thousands of people suffer more or less constantly from furred, coated tongue, bad breath, sour, burning stomach, frequent vomiting, rumbling in stomach, bitter eructations, gas, wind and stomach acidity and call it indigestion when in reality their trouble is due to gastric catarrh of the stomach," writes a New York physician.

Catarrh of the stomach is dangerous because the mucous membrane lining of the stomach is thickened and a coating of phlegm covers the surface so that the digestive fluids cannot mix with the food and digest them. This condition soon breeds deadly disease in the fermented, unassimilated food. The blood is polluted and carries the infection throughout the body. Gastric ulcers are apt to form and frequently an ulcer is the first sign of a deadly cancer.

In catarrh of the stomach a good and safe treatment is to take before meals a teaspoonful of pure Bisurated Magnesia in half a glass of hot water as hot as you can comfortably drink it. The hot water washes the mucous from the stomach walls and draws the blood to the stomach while the bisurated magnesia is an excellent antiseptic for mucous and increases the efficiency of the hot water treatment. Moreover the Bisurated Magnesia will serve as a powerful but harmless antacid which will neutralize any excess hydrochloric acid that may be in your stomach and sweeten its food contents. Easy, natural direction without distress of any kind should soon follow. Bisurated Magnesia is not a laxative, is harmless, pleasant and easy to take and can be obtained from any local druggist. Don't confuse Bisurated Magnesia with other forms of magnesia milks, citrates, etc., but get it in the pure bisurated form (powder or tablets), especially prepared for this purpose.

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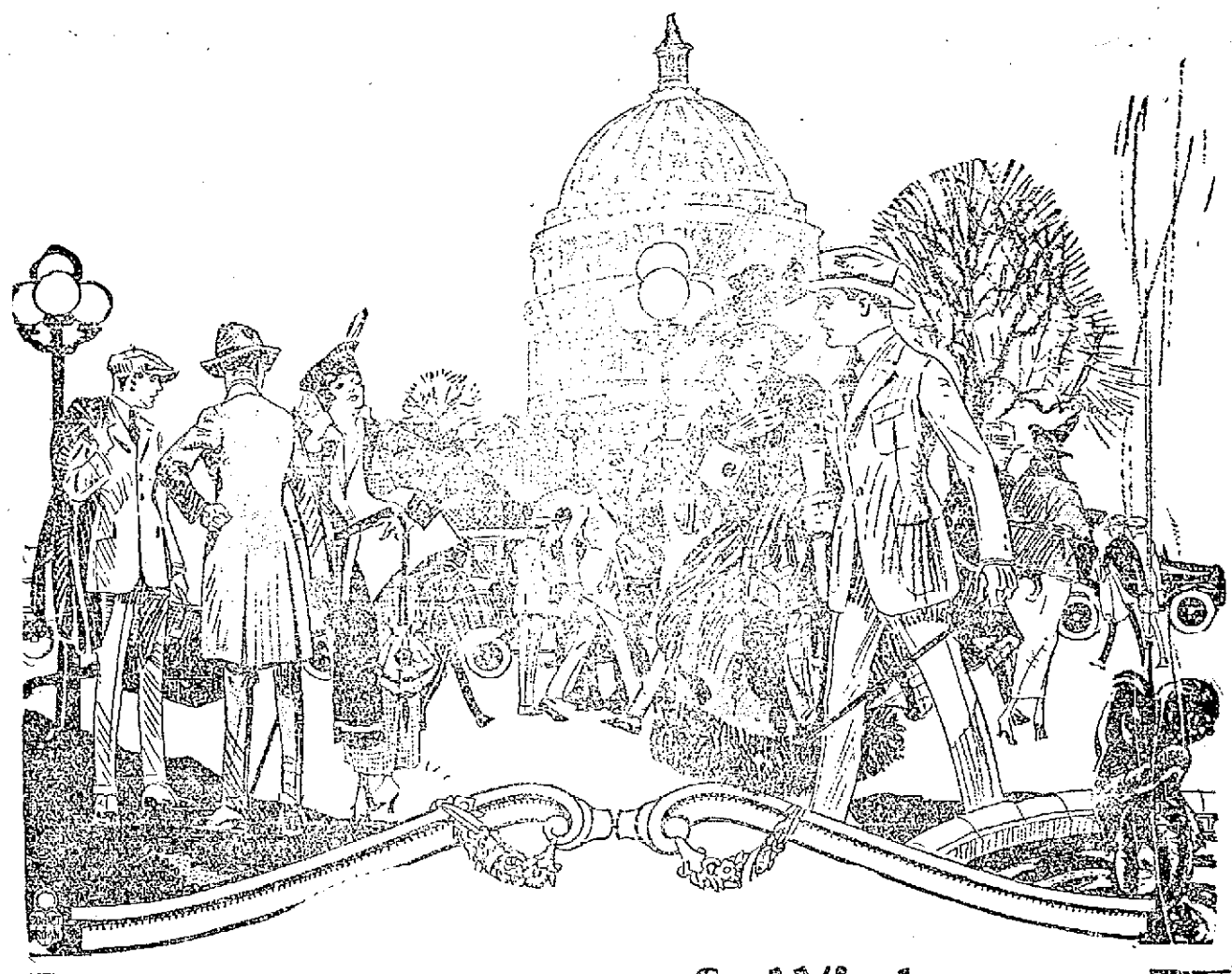

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FARMER'S INSTITUTE NEXT WEDNESDAY

Under the auspices of the Massachusetts state department of agriculture, co-operating with the Middlesex North Agricultural society, the third farmers' institute meeting of the season will be held next Wednesday at the Pawtucket Baptist church in this city. The affair will last all day and promises to be the most important event of its kind in a long time.

The program will be as follows:

10 a. m.—Farmers conference.

10.30 a. m.—Address by Dr. George M. Twitchell of Maine. Topic, "Economic, Industrial and Social Conditions Affecting the Farmer and Farm Life."

11.30 a. m.—General discussion of above subject.

"1.0 p. m.—Discussion, followed by vote of the audience of the questions "Should we go have agricultural departments and colleges determine by actual farm tests costs of production of the staple farm crops in different sections and so help the farmer in obtaining living prices for his products?"

12 m.—Dinner. Served by the ladies of the church.

1 p. m.—Afternoon—remarks by well known citizens and solos by Mrs. Winnifred Place Symonds of Tyngsborough.

2 p. m.—The afternoon session will include musical selections by Mrs. Symonds and a talk upon "Health Helps" by Dr. Eleanor Mellen.

WOOLEN SPINNERS

At a regular meeting of the Woolen Spinners' union held last evening the retiring president, Joseph O. Poirier was presented a handsome gold signet ring with the insignia of the United Textile Workers of America, while William Story, the retiring secretary, was also remembered by being presented a purse of gold. The presentations were made by Charles E. Anderson, secretary of the Trades and Labor council, who complimented the retiring officers on their efficient services to the union. The meeting was presided over by President Tim. Farrell and routine business was transacted.

IF MOTHERS ONLY KNEW

During these days [illegible] Mother Gray's Sweet Powders would do for their children in family [illegible] without fear. These powders are [illegible] who [illegible] other medicines [illegible] diseases are everywhere. Adv.

MONUMENT IN FRANCE TO AMERICAN HEROES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—France has offered to present to the United States the site for a monument on French soil to Americans who died "on the field of honor."

STRAY DOGS KILLED

As a result of the activity of the local police about a hundred stray dogs have been put to death during the past week. The members of the city [illegible] were given instructions to round up all stray dogs. That is canine's found running around without collars properly marked, and since that time an average of about 15 dogs a day has been sent to the station. The dogs [illegible] in the gas [illegible] under the supervision of Agent Gilmore of the Humane society.

STATIONARY FIREMEN

The members of the Stationary Firemen at a regular meeting last evening voted to strike in a couple of weeks if by that time the war labor board has taken no action on their demand for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage of $5 a day. Some time ago the firemen started a movement for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage of $5 a day and the matter was referred to the war labor board, which set Jan. 15 as the date for a hearing. The board was not ready to confer at that time and a postponement was effected, but since that time the firemen claim they have heard nothing regarding their request. Last evening's meeting was presided over by President Thomas F. Quinn.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particles of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC

The Sale of "Chic" Undermuslins

Continues all the week—and the prices are so much less than for several months, one should stock up on these well made garments.

New lots added daily, and a large assortment of sample pieces.

THE "CHIC" SHOP

50 CENTRAL STREET—Through to Prescott Street

CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC

SPECTACULAR RUNAWAY

Cow on Way to Slaughter House Had Last and Fast Ride

A most spectacular runaway occurred in Gorham street late yesterday afternoon, when a pair of heavy horses, hitched to a jigger in which "Bossie" a cow formerly owned by a Chelmsford farmer, was riding, became frightened and raced down the street as far as the postoffice.

It seems that the jigger was being driven from Chelmsford to Dracut via Gorham street. When Davis square was reached the driver alighted from the wagon and went into a store. In the meantime while "Bossie" was probably wondering what was going to happen to her, a passing automobile frightened the pair of horses and the result was a dash through the street at breakneck speed.

"Bossie" was rolled from one side of the jigger to the other and in many instances she was threatened with being thrown overboard, but through amazing acrobatic feats she managed to keep her position. The horses speeded down the hill, swaying from one side of the street to the other. In a couple of instances the vehicle came in contact with standing automobiles, but no serious damage was caused. When the corner of Appleton street was reached there was an electric in the middle of the road, but that did not prevent the horses from keeping on their wild race. They swung around the car and it was then that "Bossie" was most badly treated, for the jigger struck a pole and "Bossie" was given the shaking-up of her life. The collision snapped the pole of the jigger and the horses, becoming free, kept up their run to a point beyond the postoffice, where they were brought to a stop by an unknown man.

The horses were later rehitched to the jigger and driven to Humphrey's stable in Gorham street. Agent Gilmore of the Humane society was called and after ascertaining that the horses and "Bossie" were in no worse condition than when the race was started, he gave Mr. Cohen, the owner and driver, permission to resume his trip and "Bossie" was then safely taken to the slaughter house. The runaway was witnessed by hundreds of people and all wondered that no serious damage was done.

REPORTS OF REBELLION "MADE IN GERMANY"

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Reports of a rebellion in Rumania have been current for nearly a month, with varying details, but all have emanated from German or Austrian sources and have not been confirmed by advices from disinterested points. The Rumanian legation here knows nothing of any outbreak and does not attach any importance to reports received yesterday from Berlin.

The legation, however, says that it has known for many months that German and Russian Bolshevists, amply supplied with money, have been working in Rumania trying to bring about anarchy and the deposition of the dynasty.

WAR REVENUE BILL IS PASSED BY CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Final legislative action on the war revenue bill levying six billions in taxes this year and four billions yearly thereafter until revised was taken late yesterday by the senate.

Without a record vote and with but a few scattering noes, the conference agreement on the measure was adopted as approved last Saturday by the house.

After the bill is signed by Vice President Marshall and Speaker Clark it will be sent to the White House for approval by President Wilson after his return from France, about the end of the month.

THE LAWRENCE STRIKE SITUATION

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14. The absence of unskilled workers still hampered today the operation of the big textile plants where a strike has been in progress two weeks to enforce a demand that pay at the rate of 54 hours be given under the new 48 hour week schedule. Mill officials said that many of the skilled workers had returned and that virtually all the others would report when needed.

The strike committee representing largely operatives classed as unskilled maintained the usual picketing force at the mill gates when the bells rang for the opening hour today. The picketing was orderly throughout the morning, where they said workers were being intimidated. Members of the citizens' committee were said watchers at the gates, and the number report-

No Need to Be Thin, Scrawny or Sallow

If you are lean and want to be plump, if you have wrinkles in your face that you are not proud of, if the skin is sallow or subject to pimples or blackheads, take Mi-o-na stomach tablets for two weeks and watch the change.

The majority of the thin people are thin because the stomach does not perform its duties properly. It is not secreting sufficient of the natural digestive juices and so consequently does not extract from the food enough nutritive matter to nourish every part of the body.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are intended to build up the stomach so that it will act properly and extract from the food the elements necessary to form flesh.

If you are thin try two weeks' treatment of Mi-o-na stomach tablets. They are small, easily swallowed and are sold on the guarantee of money back if they do not overcome chronic indigestion, acute or chronic stomach disturbance, belching, heartburn, sour stomach, and any after dinner distress.

For sale by all leading druggists.—Adv.

FOOD FACTS

A Few of the Many Big Cut-Price Specials at

SAUNDERS' MARKET

THIS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Pigs' Feet White and Clean **7 lbs. 25c**

Potatoes Large No. 1 Stock, 15 lb. Peck ..... **33c** | **Coffee** Fresh Roast Less Than Cost, lb **19c**

GEISHA CRABMEAT, new goods, just arrived, 1 lb. can.....59c

Butter Table Quality Pound **45c** | **Lard** Best Rex Pure White, lb. **27c** | **Eggs** Fancy Selected Dozen **38c**

FRUIT JELLY, lb.....10¢ | PEANUT BUTTER, lb. ..19¢ | Cheese, Young America, lb. 35¢

Pork Shoulders, lb. 15c | **Pork Loins** Small Lean, Lb. ... **25c**

Pork and Beans Campbell's Best, Can **12c** | **Hatchet** Pork and Beans Big Can **25c**

Roast Beef Boneless Sirloin No Waste Pound ... **25c** | **Roast Beef** Face of Rump Lb. . **25c**

BUTTERINE, lb. .....29¢ | COMPOUND, lb. .....25¢ | SALT PORK, hvy. bean, lb. 23¢

BEANS, Best Georgia, lb.....8¢ | BEANS, Fancy Yel. Eye, lb. 10¢ | BEANS, best pink, lb.....8¢

SPARE RIBS, Salt, lb.....10¢ | PIGS' HEAD, corned, lb...10¢ | OX TONGUE, corned, lb...25¢

Oranges Size Dozen **39c** | **FIGS, pkg. 19c**

Legs of Mutton, lb.....21¢ Legs of Lamb, lb. .....32¢

Tomato Sausage 30c lb.	Pressed Corn Beef 30c lb.	Ginger Snaps..... 8c lb.	Butter Thins.... 25c lb.
Dried Beef ..... 70c lb.	Head Cheese ....25c lb.	Animal Crackers 12c lb.	Brown Baked Crackers 30c box
Pork Sausage....32c lb.	Jelly Tongue ....55c lb.	Fig Newtons.... 23c lb.	Brad's Common Crackers ..... 30c box
Beef Loaf ..... 28c lb.	Metzwurth ..... 45c lb.	Mixed Cookies ..18c lb.	Takhoma Biscuits .. 9c
Blood Pudding ..25c lb.	Tripe ..... 10c lb.	Milk Crackers .. 18c lb.	Butter Thins.. 18c pkg.
Frankfurts .... 23c lb.	Pigs' Feet .....12c lb.	Soda Crackers.. 33c lb.	Drake's Pound Cake, 30c lb.
Jellied Corn Beef 29c lb.	Pressed Ham ....25c lb.	Graham Crackers 20c lb.	Drake Sponge..... 32c
Sliced Scotch Ham 55c lb.	Minced Ham .... 23c lb.	Oyster Crackers 20c lb.	Corn on Cob 12c
Sliced Boiled Ham 75c lb.	Hoistein ..... 45c lb.	Lemon Snaps....22c lb.	Soft Shelled Walnuts 38c lb.
Sliced Bacon ....50c lb.	Pressed Corn Pork 50c lb.	Raisin Drops.... 25c lb.	
		Saltines ..... 25c lb.	

Beef Boiling Pieces, lb.....18¢ Sirloin, Boned, lb.....25¢ Chuck Cuts, lb.....22¢ Prime Rib, lb. .....28¢

Veal Milk Fed Legs, lb....21¢ Milk Fed Loins, lb...19¢ Milk Fed Fores, lb...15¢ Milk Fed Chops, lb...28¢

FOWL Fresh Killed, Lb. ...35c

CORNED BEEF

Thick Rib, lb...18¢	Spare Ribs, lb...10¢	Salt Pork, lb...23¢
Brisket, lb. ....23¢	Pigs' Ears, lb.....5¢	Shoulders, lb...23¢
Stickers, lb. ....18¢	Pigs' Snouts, lb. 7¢	Ox Tongues, lb. 23¢
Navel Ends, lb. 14¢	Pigs' Head, lb. 12¢	Brisket Pork, lb. 30¢

FOWL To Fricassee Lb.... 30c

Chickens Lb. ...38c | **Leaf Lard** Lb. 29c | **Chickens** Cut Up, Lb. ...30c

Tomatoes, can....17c | Snider's Ketchup ..... 25c | Ox Tails ..... 7c Each

PORK BUTTS, lb. **30c** | Beef Kidney, lb...12¢ Pigs' Liver, lb.....9¢ Sliced Ham, lb...45¢ | Pigs' Kidneys, lb....9¢ Beef Liver, lb.....12¢ Soup Bones, lb....13¢ | BEEF BUTTS, lb. **27c**

Lamb to Stew 15c | Beef to Stew 22c | Veal to Stew 18c

LAMB CHOPS, Lb. ... **29c** | **STEAKS** VEIN, lb. .....35¢ ROUND, lb.....25¢ SIRLOIN, lb. ....30¢ RUMP, lb. .....55¢ | MUTTON CHOPS, LB. **23c**

TOMATOES, can 12¢	OLD DUTCH, can...7¢	MINCE MEAT, pkg. 10¢	LIGHT HOUSE CLEANSER, can 4¢
SHRIMP, can.....12¢	BROOMS, each ..80¢	Campbell's Soup, can 9¢	RAISINS, pkg. ..10¢
CORN STARCH, pg. 7¢	Gold Medal Flour, bag $1.35	CATSUP, Snider's Best .....25¢	Molasses, Wh. Riv. 10¢
COMPOUND, lb...24¢	CORN, can.....12¢	TOMATOES, can 16¢	
PEAS, can .....12¢			

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$5.00 Paid Orders Delivered in City Free

BOLSHEVIKI TO FIGHT GERMANY

Papers Taken From Radek Disclosed Plans For Spartacan Uprising

Big Bolshevist Army Was To Attack the East Frontier Next Month

COPENHAGEN, Thursday, Feb. 13.—Papers and letters found in the home of Karl Radek, the Russian Bolshevik emissary, whose arrest by the Berlin police was announced yesterday, indicated that he was planning a Spartacan uprising in March throughout the country.

A Bolshevist army was planing to attack the east frontier at the date fixed for the uprising, it is said. Radek is reported to have been disguised in a German officer's uniform on many occasions.

Transformed French army airplanes are being used to bring Moroccs within halfday of France.

Disturbed sleep usually comes from some form of indigestion. Strengthen the stomach and stimulate the liver with a course of

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ARE YOU HELPING TO RE-CHICKEN FRANCE? SEE MARCH McCALL'S MAGAZINE

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10 months for.....69¢
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MEN and WOMEN!

This May Be Your Only Opportunity to Get One of Those Extremely Warm, Serviceable Mole Skin, Cloth Lined

Tan Leather Vests

AT ABOUT HALF PRICE **$4.85**

Some button up to the neck, while others are cut like a V. All are good protectors against the cold blast. February and March are the months when they are most needed for motoring and for any outdoor sport or work. Light in weight, thin, so your coat easily slips on over the vest. They are decidedly one of the most practical and useful garments ever conceived.

CHALIFOUX'S MEN'S STORE——STREET FLOOR

HEADQUARTERS FOR TROUSERS

Ever since we bought the Pants' Store across the street more men have been coming to Chalifoux's for their trousers. This has led us to carry larger stocks, greater varieties and better values.

All are smartest styles demanded by young men. All the conservatives. Blue, black and gray serges, dark worsted stripes and silk mixtures—some cassimeres.

SERGES	$2.98	SILK MIXTURES	$8.00
OTHERS TO	$8.00	OTHERS TO	$9.00
WORSTED	$3.50	COTTON MIXTURES	$1.98
OTHERS TO	$8.00	OTHERS	$2.98

FOR SOME UNUSUAL REASON

Boys' Suits Are Very Low

AT CHALIFOUX'S BASEMENT

BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS, in dark gray mixtures, sizes 6 to 18 years. $6.50 value. Special for.....$3.98

BOYS' JUVENILE SUITS, mixtures and corduroys, sizes 4 to 8 years, $5.00 value. Special $2.98

FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE

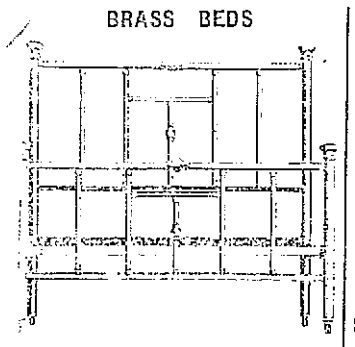
Offers NEW Values as Well as Many of the Original Items That Are Bringing Such Good Response.

CASH OR CREDIT ON THE MORRIS PLAN—PRICES ARE THE SAME

The simple easy method of buying Furniture on the Morris Plan appeals to men and women who consider their own interests first.

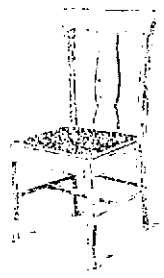
During February we are offering every day special values in High Grade Furniture of Chalifoux quality. Visit the New Rug and Furniture Store —maker of comfortable homes.

BRASS BEDS



Beautiful Colonial bed, as illustrated, with heavy 2 inch posts and heavy filling rods, satin finish, all sizes.....$17.50

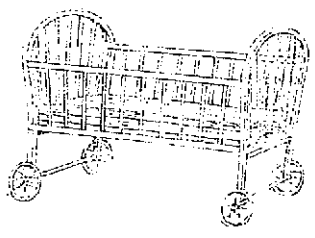
DINING CHAIR



Solid quartered oak dining chair, as illustrated, shaped bannister back and genuine leather slip seat $3.49

SLIDING COUCHES, sold complete with mattresses and pillows. All iron frame with National Spring top. Can be separated and will make two complete beds.....$12.50

LULLABY CRIB OR BASSINETTE

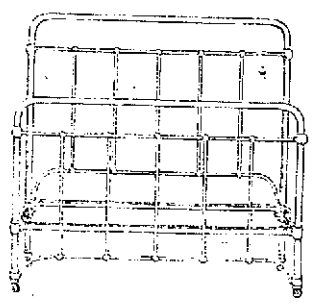


Strongly made, all nicely enameled, in white, heavy rubber tired wheels, close woven spring bottom $3.98

COMBINATION MATTRESS—Soft and comfortable sanitary mattress, soft top and bottom and sides, covered with a fancy heavy striped ticking, $7.50

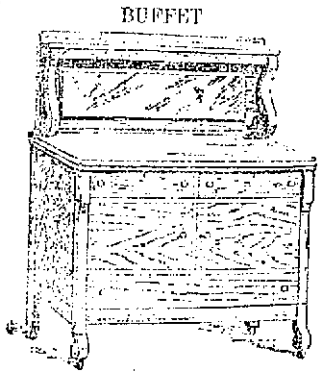
3-PIECE MISSION SET, all solid oak with auto spring seats, consisting of chair, rocker and settee. Rich fumed finish. Three pieces, while they last $39.50

MISSION ROCKER, heavily built, solid oak wicker, fumed oak finish. The soft spring seat and the back are upholstered in finest grade of imitation brown leather, $7.98



WHITE ENAMELED BEDS, exactly like cut, solid heavy continuous posts with five heavy filling rods. Don't confuse this bed with the light weight bed so commonly used. Heavy and better built in every way, $8.98

BUFFET



Solid quartered oak buffet, as pictured, best construction and finish, lined silver drawer, large linen drawer and deep cupboard, large bevel edge plate mirror $28.50

STATIONERY SPECIAL 60 Sheet Pound Paper.....25¢ 2 Pkgs. of Envelopes to match...25¢

Yes, the prices of SOME food Products are coming down—We wish that COFFEE were one of them!

You have noticed, no doubt with considerable satisfaction, the recent decline in the prices of food products—especially butter and eggs. Naturally, you are looking forward with hope—perhaps expectancy—to lower prices on everything.

Whether prices in general have reached their turning point and are going to come down, we do not know. We can say positively, however, that insofar as the price of coffee to be used within the next several months is concerned, there is still an upward trend.

This upward trend in the price of coffee is due to economic conditions which we analyzed quite in detail in a recent announcement in this newspaper. You will remember that we told you why coffee was about the only food product that stayed down in price during the war and why the price began to go up the moment peace was in sight.

We explained the import restrictions which prohibited coffee roasters in this country from buying more than a three months' supply while prices were around normal. And we pointed out to you that as the stocks bought at noraml prices were used up and the new stocks for which roasters had to pay higher prices were drawn upon, you would have to pay more.

Every day, roasters—if they have been honest with the government—are obliged to use more and more of these high-cost coffees because the stock bought at lower prices is rapidly becoming exhausted. They are, therefore, obliged to advance their price to the retailers, who in turn must advance the price to you. **This is the reason why the retail price of coffee is advancing.**

These are conditions which are beyond the control of the coffee industry in this country. Therefore—

Coffee roasters can do but one of two things

They can either maintain quality and increase price in proportion to the increased cost to them, or they can hold their price down by reducing the quality of their coffee.

The entire business of the W. S. Quinby Company has been built on quality. Our policy in the present crisis has been that under no conditions would we permit the enviable reputation for uniformity, delicious flavor and delightful aroma which La Touraine Coffee has so long enjoyed to be injured in order to save a few cents a pound. And the best evidence that our policy has met with the approval of the coffee-consuming public is the fact that the sale of La Touraine Coffee is increasing faster today than ever before in the history of our business!

Your money back if you find that the quality of La Touraine Coffee isn't as good as before the war. Your money back if it doesn't make the most delicious cup of coffee you ever tasted.

"It's the Bean"

THAT'S WHY

PEOPLE WHO USE QUINBY'S

La Touraine

SAY IT'S The Perfect Coffee

W. S. QUINBY COMPANY—BOSTON-CHICAGO

La Touraine Coffee and Teas

Don't Accept Coffee as La Touraine Unless It's in the La Touraine Bag

Those of you who have been consistent users of La Touraine know that its uniform quality, its delicious flavor and delightful aroma are just as uniform and delicious and delightful now as they have always been.

But some people have never yet tried La Touraine. If you happen to be one of them, this advertisement offers you an opportunity to discover how good a cup of coffee can really be—

Without the slightest risk of ever regretting your purchase

Just go to your grocer and buy a pound of La Touraine. Watch him roll the ripe, perfectly blended and roasted beans out of the La Touraine bag into the grinder. **Ask him to grind them about as fine as granulated sugar.**

Then he will put the freshly-ground coffee back into the La Touraine bag for you.

Or perhaps you would prefer to grind the coffee in your own home. Either way, you can always be sure that the natural strength and flavor of La Touraine Coffee will be preserved for you in the beans.

And please remember this: If you are disappointed in what thousands of critical users have called "The Perfect Coffee," just send what remains in the bag to us at our expense and mention the name of the dealer who sold it to you. Then without question—**Your money will be promptly refunded.**

CHELMSFORD NEWS

No Increase in Tax Rate—Constable Resigns—Selectmen Organize

Despite the fact that the appropriations voted at the last annual meeting of the residents of Chelmsford, exceeded those of last year by $11,000, it is believed that the tax rate for 1919 will be the same if not lower than that of 1918. James P. Dunigan, chairman of the board of assessors, who makes his home in the North Village, told The Sun yesterday that in his opinion the tax rate will be reduced about 20 cents a thousand. He said the assessors will start on their annual tour of the town April 1 and it is believed that before they are through with their work they will have increased the personal and real estate property of the town about 100,000, and that will more than offset the increase in the appropriations voted at the recent town meeting.

Constable Will Resign

Fred I. Vinal, who at the last meeting of the board of aldermen was again appointed a constable for the North Village, will not hold the job throughout the year. He will remain in office until a case now pending in superior court is disposed of and then he will tender his resignation.

Mr. Vinal has been a member of the town constabulary about 15 years, during which time he has proven to be a very efficient officer. His last important arrest was about a month ago when he apprehended one of the young men who, it is claimed assaulted and robbed a resident of Graniteville, the alleged assault having taken place in the North village. It is this case that is now pending at the superior court. Mr. Vinal, who is overseer of the carpenter shop at the George C. Moore mill, states that he finds it very hard to manage both jobs and that remuneration from the town, 30 cents an hour, while one works, is not attractive enough. It is not known who his successor will be.

Board of Selectmen

At a recent meeting of the board of selectmen, Justin L. Moore was elected chairman, while D. Frank Small, who has held the office of chairman for the past three years, was chosen clerk of the board. It was a case of swapping jobs between Messrs. Small and Moore, for the latter was clerk of the board last year. Mr. Moore and his family are now enjoying a rest at Jacksonville, Fla., where they will sojourn the next couple of months.

Geo. C. Moore Mill

There is one organized body at the George C. Moore mill and that is the Wool Sorters' union and just for that its members are now enjoying a 48-hour week, while the other operatives of the mill are still on the old time schedule. It was learned yesterday that the wool sorters were the only ones to present a demand for a 48-hour week and their demand was granted, the new schedule of hours going into effect last Monday. They now start work at 7.15 a. m. and work until 12 m. Then they start in again at 1 p. m. and quit at 5 p. m. Saturdays they work from 7.15 a. m. to 11.30 a. m. The other employes of the mill work from 6.30 a. m. to 12 m. and from 12.30 to 5.30. Saturday they start at 6.30 and work until 12 o'clock. It is understood that the wool sorters will receive time and a half for all overtime.

Coal is Scarce

It was fortunate for some residents of the North Village that the Lowell coal dealers had plenty of coal on hand for there might have been what could be termed a small coal famine in the village. The North Chelmsford coal man is James P. Dunigan, who up to about two weeks ago has been in a position to fill the orders he had on hand, but a couple of weeks ago his supply ran out and he was forced to carry coal from local yards. He has had an order for five carloads at the mines for the past several weeks, but the freight congestion is such that his coal has not yet arrived. He expects, however, that his five carloads of the precious "nuggets" will roll into town before many days.

Shiesia Mills

There has been no talk of a 48-hour week at the Shiesia mills at North Chelmsford and accordingly the old working schedule is still in force. The mills employ about 350 hands and all seem satisfied with present conditions. When the armistice was signed the mills curtailed to four days a week, but this week it is expected the operatives will be kept busy five days. Business seems to be picking up.

Wholesale Breaks

In relation to the two recent breaks at the North Chelmsford depot of the Boston & Maine railroad, one of the detectives of the railroad went to North Chelmsford in the early part of the week for the purpose of conducting an investigation. The visitor informed the town constables that he had no less than 11 railroad station breaks on his list during the past month in various parts of the state. It is believed that the breaks were committed by a gang that travels from town to town. For the Billerica Center station was broken into and the next night the North Billerica station was visited. A few nights later a visit was paid to the North Chelmsford depot, where the intruders got away with about $60 in cash. Last Friday night the North Chelmsford station was again visited and about $6 was taken. On the same night the station at Tyngsboro was broken into, but it could not be learned just what luck the thieves had in that place. The railroad and federal authorities are on the watch for the culprits, while the town constables are also keeping their eyes open.

Your Appearance

Depends a good deal upon your teeth. Whether you are employer or employe, you must make the best appearance possible and the teeth are the main contributors.

There is nothing more unsightly than a set of black, dirty, broken down teeth and there is absolutely no excuse for leaving them in that condition as, by new methods, I have proven that all dental work can be done absolutely without pain.

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12 PRESENTED D. S. MEDALS

Nine Army Officers and Three Civilians Decorated by Direction of Pres. Wilson

Awards Presented by Sec. Baker—Rendered Meritorious Service During War

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Secretary Baker today personally presented to nine army officers and three civilians Distinguished Service medals awarded them by direction of President Wilson for exceptionally meritorious and conspicuous service during the war. The civilians are P. A. S. Franklin, chairman of the shipping control committee, Edward R. Stettinius, second assistant secretary of war, and Guy E. Tripp, assistant chief of ordnance.

The presentation took place in the secretary's office in the war department. The citations as published today in army orders follow:

Major General Frank McIntyre—As executive assistant to the chief of staff, his breadth of view and sound judgment contributed materially to the formulation and carrying out of policies essential to the operation of the military establishment.

Major General John L. Chamberlain—As inspector-general of the army he has by his highly responsible services materially contributed to the efficiency of all departments and bureaus of the military establishment and to the successful execution of the military program.

Major General Jesse I. McCarter—As chief of the militia bureau he conceived and directed the organization of the United States guards.

Major General Peter C. Harris—In the adjutant general's department, his zeal, energy and judgment have been made manifest by the reforms accomplished in record keeping systems.

Brigadier General William S. Pierce—While in charge of the Springfield arsenal, his exceptional ability contributed materially to increasing the output of small arms.

Brigadier General Richard C. Marshall—His zeal, judgment and exceptional administrative ability in the construction division of the army have enabled serious difficulties to be overcome.

Brigadier General Robert I. Rees—To his initiative and breadth of vision are largely due the successful measures for training enlisted men for special services and the establishment of student army training corps.

Brigadier General William H. Rose—While in charge of the engineer depot, he was charged with the system of purchase of supplies. His exceptional ability, judgment and resourcefulness are apparent in the efficient solution of the many difficult problems involved.

Col. Constant Cordier, general staff—While on duty as liason officer between the war department and the foreign military missions, he displayed the greatest discretion and ability.

P. A. S. Franklin—To his fine technical knowledge and energetic action is due, in a large measure, the efficient jurisdiction over dock facilities and floating equipment.

Guy E. Tripp, who as chief of the production devision of the ordnance deparment and later as assistant chief of ordnance, displayed fine technical ability and broad judgment in systemizing methods and practices, resulting in the efficient co-operation of industries producing articles of ordnance for the army.

Edward R. Stettinius, who, as director-general of purchases for the war department, second assistant secretary of war and special representative in France of the secretary of war in connection with the procurement of munitions for the American Expeditionary forces, rendered conspicuous services. His broad vision and splendid judgment have been of the greatest value to the success of the military problem.

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CLOSING ARGUMENTS IN BATES MURDER TRIAL

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 14.—The trial of Langdon Bates for the murder of Mrs. Edith Cole at Winslow last August, reached its final stage in the superior court today, the presentation of evidence having been completed at the close of the second day. Only the closing arguments and the judge's charge to the jury remained to be heard and the case was expected to be in the hands of the jury by noon.

Agree on 13th

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justed depended for satisfactory settlement upon the Society of Nations, which the conference pledged itself at the outset to organize. Thus it became the custom to give a patient hearing to everybody who came to Paris to present the claims of oppressed and dissatisfied peoples, and then refer the claims for justice to the Society of Nations to be created.

One prominent delegate explains that the conference took the position that to undertake to adjudicate all conflicting claims would be equivalent to creating a court and endeavoring in the act creating it to dispose of every possible case that might come before it for decision.

While the great project of a Society of Nations is under consideration by the various governments represented at the conference, preliminary to the final vote, the conference, through its commissions, is expected to prepare a great mass of material relating to the many subjects that will make up the docket of the society.

Plan is Constitutional

As soon as the conference has relieved itself of this burden, it is expected to adjourn sine die. It has been said by a highly competent authority that the date of adjournment will be about June 1.

Nothing has been disclosed officially, as to the plan for the society, but in the opinion of American delegates, it is safe against attack on the ground of unconstitutionality. If it does involve an alliance requiring the use of American troops, in combination with those of other nations, against an offender against the law of nations, as laid down by the conference, it is recalled that there is precedent for such an alliance in a treaty between the United States and France more than a century ago. It is also pointed out by the authorities here that power is reserved to congress to carry out the pledge in its own way through its control of appropriations and war-making power. The senate, especially, has distinctive powers in its right to approve or disapprove treaties such as that which is necessary to give life to the Society of Nations.

Wilson Sails Tomorrow

Preparations have been completed for the homeward voyage of the presidential party, which will leave Paris tonight for Brest on a special train and sail tomorrow on the liner George Washington, on which it came to France. This time the party will be much reduced, the large staff of state department employes and numerous experts who came over with President Wilson remaining in Paris.

The party will comprise President and Mrs. Wilson, David R. Francis, ambassador to Russia; White House employes, secret service men, the 300 soldiers who have formed the guard around the Murat residence; Congressmen George White of Ohio, and P. D. Norton of North Dakota, and representatives of three news associations. It will number 319 persons. All the accommodations of the liner will be utilized, however, for not only will every cabin and stateroom be occupied but the vast hold will be filled with several thousand American soldiers who have seen service in France and who are going home to demobilization camps.

Agree on Wilson's Lucky Day

The agreement on the constitution for a Society of Nations by the commission which has been framing the plan, was effected on President Wilson's lucky day—the 13th—and there are just twice 13 articles in the document.

Leon Bourgeois, in giving France's adhesion to the Society of Nations today at the plenary session of the peace conference, planned to make certain reservations in the name of the French government, according to a Havas report. It is probable that before President Wilson leaves, the supreme council will desire to elucidate the attitude it will adopt relative to the Prinkipo conference with representatives of Russian governments.

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INTERNATIONAL ARMY PROPOSAL BEATEN

PARIS, Feb. 14—(By Associated Press)—The Bourgeois proposition for an international military force to enforce peace was defeated by an overwhelming vote at the meeting of the Society of Nations commission yesterday. The French and Czecho-Slovaks were the only representatives voting in the affirmative.

The final draft of the Society of Nations plan was then unanimously adopted as a whole. It consists of 26 articles.

The Japanese delegation presented an amendment providing that racial discrimination should not be tolerated in immigration laws. Several delegates urged that this would open such a large question that great delay might ensue, and the matter was dropped without a vote.

SACRED HEART SOCIAL CLUB TO PUT ON BIG MINSTREL SHOW AND AFTERPIECE

The Sacred Heart club will present a big minstrel show, with other features, at the school hall, Moore street, tonight and indications point to the affair being one of the best ever staged in this city. Many of the leading artists of the city are on the program, which has been well arranged and carefully rehearsed. Among the participants will be Martin H. Maguire, Edward Donohoe, Margaret McQuillan, May Rose O'Neil, George Kirwin, Jeremiah Kennedy, John Doyle, Eugene Mullin, Nancy Swift, John H. McMahon, Mary Bourke, Katherine Sharkey, Timothy Finnegan, Fred Sharkey and the Eckland sisters, Lillian, Grace and Ann.

The entire show is in charge of William L. Howard. Mr. Timothy Finnegan will be interlocutor and George Freeman of Freeman's orchestra will accompanist. There will be a chorus of 60 mixed voices.

Huns To Disarm

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radist parties is now discussing details of the new governmental program.

These points were made by Friedrich Ebert, the new president of Germany, in an informal talk with foreign newspapermen today. They answered questions of American and English correspondents asked after he had read a formal numerous statement which virtually followed the lines of his address on Wednesday, in which he emphasized Germany's intention to rehabilitate herself.

Ebert Agrees to Answer

President Ebert was informality itself. Seating himself at a large table after having shaken hands with the score of correspondents present, he read his statement rapidly and then signified his willingness to answer questions.

The question of disarmament was first raised, since reports from the peace conference in Paris indicate that it occupies a large place in discussions there. President Ebert frankly astonished his hearers by his declaration that a commission was already working on the problem. He said Germany in the future was going to have only an army of defense. It was at the very end of this talk that he admitted that this guard would be raised by conscription and he left the room before further details could be elicited.

To Protect Borders

He said that the guarantee that the borders of the country would be protected was absolutely essential although he would welcome universal disarmament, which would make such protection unnecessary. He declared that an understanding had already been reached by which various branches of industry would be united and operated socialistically, adding that only monopolized business would be socialized. In answer to a question relative to foodstuffs in Germany, he said he regarded the situation as very gloomy since the conditions were very hard. Germany, he said, had but a minimum number of foreign securities with which she could purchase food.

Gold Goes to Entente

"Our gold, as the whole world knows, has, in large part, gone to the entente," he said. "All the gold and securities now on hand would not suffice to cover more than the most urgent needs. Germany would be glad to repay honorably and uprightly as soon as possible. If food and raw material are furnished and Germany is given assistance toward rehabilitation, I believe the economic and general situation can be brought into an orderly and progressive path."

Bernstorff Not Going

Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, the foreign minister in the provisional cabinet; Dr. Eduardo David, the president of the national assembly and many persons experienced on economic lines, he said, would probably attend the peace conference for Germany, "but not Bernstorff" he added instantly to a questioner. It was the first time that Count von Bernstorff's participation which has been advertised freely, was denied authoritatively. The German peace delegation, President Ebert continued, would appear with definite proposals, including plans for a league of nations, workingmen's protective laws and a court to decide international disputes.

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Russian Jews Who Lived Here Few Years Head the Bolshevik Movement

Prof. Dennis Says Reds Plan To Come to America To "Pull Off Same Show"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Members of the Bolshevik central cabinet in Russia were described yesterday by Prof. Ralph Dennis of Northwestern university, testifying at the senate committee's inquiry into lawless agitation in this country, as "fairly able men who truly believed theire was the best way to bring about heaven on earth."

"But their way to heaven seems to be through hell," commented Senator Wolcott of Delaware.

Mr. Dennis, who was a Y.M.C.A. worker and consular agent in Russia from the fall of 1917 until last September, said there was no real sympathy between Germans and the Russian reds but "each group was trying to use the other." The Bolsheviki throughout Russia, he added, believed that the end justified the means.

Their theory, he said, might be expressed: "If you are not a Bolshevik, get out. If you work against us, we will kill you."

He said he was impressed that men in positions of power among the Bolsheviki were to a great extent Russian Jews who had lived in America for a few years.

"These men," he said, "were the most bitter and implacable Bolsheviki in their desire to exterminate the bourgeois class."

Chairman Overman asked: "Do you know of any effort to bring that propaganda into this country?"

"I could not go into a court and prove it," replied the witness, "but after going to meetings in Chicago there is no question about the desire to bring about that scheme of government in America."

He described a meeting in the Chicago Coliseum, where an audience cheered the names of Lenine and Trotzky for five minutes and every comment by speakers to the effect that America would be the next nation to adopt the soviet system of government. The witness added that he saw no difference between the I.W.W. and the Bolsheviki in the ends they seek to accomplish.

Mr. Dennis said one Bolshevik official, a former resident of the United States, in bidding him good-bye in Russia, said:

"I'll see you in about 10 years. We are coming over to America and pull off this same show."

Mr. Dennis said that from his observations, he believed that persons interested in spreading Bolshevik propaganda probably have a pretty good organization extending from New York to San Francisco, with the country divided up into sections and certain men in charge of each section."

Questioned as to the attitude of Raymond Robins, head of the American Red Cross mission to Russia, concerning the Bolsheviki, Mr. Dennis said:

"As I understood Mr. Robins at that time (in Russia) his attitude was that of recognition of the Bolsheviki because they were the people in control. They seemed to be the only people who could run the show. He knew them all and kept in close touch with them."

Robert Leonard of Minnesota, formerly a Y.M.C.A. secretary and consular agent in Russia, described his experiences at the Russian front and in prison, where he was thrown for a few weeks by the Bolsheviki.

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HON. CHARLES O'CONNOR COMING

Hon. Charles S. O'Connor, of Boston, one of the ablest young orators in the Hub, will respond to a toast at the Washington day dinner of Bishop Delany, general assembly, fourth degree Knights of Columbus, according to an announcement made today. With the additional presence of Lieut. Paul Hines of the famous 26th Division, the assembly is fortunate, indeed, in its program of speakers. Mr. O'Connor is well informed and a close student of government and economic problems and the invitation to come to Lowell just nosed in ahead of a similar invitation from New York. As an after-dinner speaker, who talks with deep and absorbing interest, Mr. O'Connor has few equals and hence his response to a toast at the fourth degree dinner will be eagerly awaited.

HELPED TO FRAME CASE AGAINST MISS CAVELL

PARIS, Feb. 14.—French military authorities now hold, on a charge of dealing with the enemy, a man named Krein, who is alleged to have played a leading role in the tragedy in which Miss Edith Cavell lost her life.

A report made for Judge Advocate Grebault by Police Inspector Chalet states that Krein was in jail at St. Quentin at the beginning of the war. He was released by the Germans and went to the mansion of Prince and Princess Croy, in Belgium, and denounced them as having aided French prisoners of war to escape. As a result, the princess was condemned to 10 years' imprisonment at hard labor.

Krein is said to have then gone to Brussels, where he went into Miss Cavell's hospital service and helped to "work up" the case against her.

DANCE IN MIDST OF TERRIBLE MISERY

BERNE, Feb. 13 (By the Associated Press). Dancing reigns supreme in Munich, despite the fact that coal, electricity and gas are lacking in the city and 10,000 persons are unemployed, wires the special correspondent in Berne of the Journal Geneve. The local newspapers protest against this orgy of amusement in the midst of terrible misery, but publish columns of advertisements of balls and dances in the hotels and cafes. Dances are even held in the former branch of the Krupp works.

$40,000 WORTH OF DRUGS SEIZED

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 14. Between $30,000 and $40,000 worth of morphine and other drugs was seized by federal agents yesterday in a raid on the Rest Cure Sanitorium. Dr. Moritz Lowenthal was arrested on charges of unlawfully disposing of narcotics.

NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

The list of New England boys on the casualty list today does not include the names of any Lowell boys.

Died From Accident and Other Causes

Ser. Harry Brenker, 56 East Albert st., Torrington, Conn.

Wounded Severely

Ser. Jos. Brown, Terryville, Conn.
Ser. Wm. H. Marshall, 13 Gladstone st., Everett, Mass.
Cor. James R. Concoy, 16 Church st., New Britain, Conn.
Cor. Harry A. Griffith, 56 Ralston ave., New Haven, Conn.
Cor. Paul G. Honatvet, 21 Bay View st., Quincy, Mass.
Cook Edw. J. Boggis, 46 Park st., Nashua, N. H.
Ser., Y.M.C.A. John S. Voorhees, 8854 Asylum ave., Hartford, Conn.
Pr. Jas. J. Cashman, 62 Columbia road, Swampscott, Mass.
Pr. James S. Cassidy, 55 South Main st., Ipswich, Mass.
Pr. John Christofore, 324 Revere st., Revere, Mass.
Pr. Jas. E. Connelly, 28 Raven st., Dorchester, Mass.
Pr. Harry Egan, Stamford, Conn.
Pr. Reuben S. Groves, R.F.D., No. 2, Nashua, N. H.
Pr. Levi O. Peterson, Bradley Ave., Orange, Conn.
Pr. Wm. Zapasnick, 13 Sudbury court, Maynard, Mass.

Killed in Action

Bug. Clifford K. Meekins, 56 Derby st., West Newton, Mass.
Pr. John J. Conners, 79 Bridge st., Portsmouth, N. H.
Pr. Harold V. Patrinuina, So. Attleboro, Mass.

Died From Wounds

Cor. Clifford Cormier, 92 East Earl st., New Bedford, Mass.
Pr. Noel L. Bearor, 2 Clymer st., Burlington, Vt.
Pr. Anthony Dziarkocz, 116 Jefferson ave., Everett, Mass.
Pr. Sebastian Zuroc, 67 Borden st., West Newton, Mass.

Died of Disease

Ser. Herman Gustafson, Proctor, Vt.
Pr. Otis C. Reed, Gorham, N. H.

Wounded Severely

Pr. Jos. C. Raciagiupo, R.F.D., box 33, Athol, Mass.
Pr. Frank R. Carlson, 10 Rockwell ave., Stamford, Conn.
Pr. Wm. C. Chippendale, 15 Harvard st., Fall River, Mass.
Pr. James Foley, 11 Marcella st., Cambridge, Mass.
Pr. James L. Leonard, 30 Dickinson st., Somerville, Mass.
Pr. Alfred Silby, West Buxton, Me.

Missing in Action, Previously Reported Wounded Severely in Action

Cor. Michael J. Meiraith, 287 Carlisle st., Malden, Mass.
Pr. John J. Keefe, Cottage st., New Hartford, Conn.

Killed in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Cor. John P. Duggan, 51 Melvin st., Walpole, Mass.
Pr. Carl L. Coombs, 250 Lowell st., Reading, Mass.

Died From Wounds Received in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Cor. David Gallon, 505 East Main st., North Adams, Mass.

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Wounded Severely in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Zouzupas Cervaiciun, Enfield, Conn.

Wounded in Action (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Wm. E. Kenealy, 18 Edwin st., Dorchester, Mass.
Pr. Earl S. Randall, Felchville, Vt.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Ser. Israel Abranchoff, 346 Eastern ave., Malden, Mass.
Pr. Wm. Longstaff, 242 Plain st., Providence, R. I.
Pr. Fred Munroe, 2 Counters st., Haverhill, Mass.
Pr. Samuel J. Swain, Springfield st., Three Rivers, Mass.

Erroneously Reported Wounded Severely in Action

Ser. Frank Kurtz, 515 Main st., Indian Orchard, Mass.
Pr. John Beranski, 34 Harvard st., Boston, Mass.

REPORTS OF HARDSHIPS ENDURED BY ALLIES IN SIBERIA UNTRUE

VLADIVOSTOK, Monday, Feb. 10.—(By Canadian Press)- Published reports of hardships endured by allied troops in Siberia this winter, are untrue, an investigation by the correspondent shows. Canadian troops held in Vladivostok are well housed in comfortable barracks and the weather on the Siberian coast is milder than in eastern Canada. Their health has been excellent.

The British units at Omsk suffered from severe cold. The chief complaint is of the infrequency of mail service and lack of home news.

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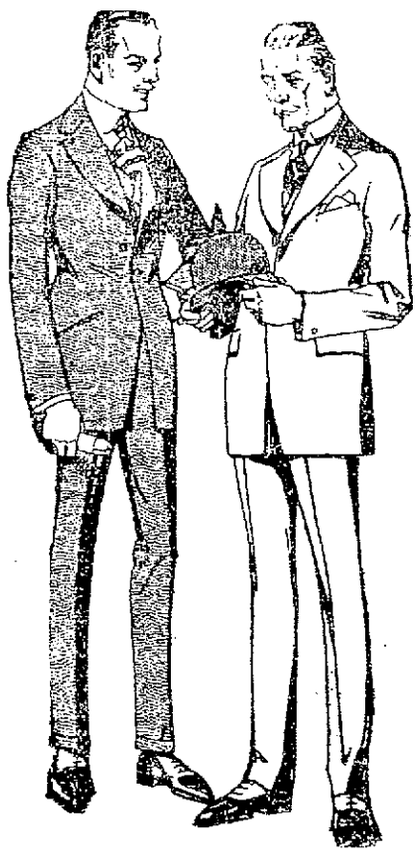

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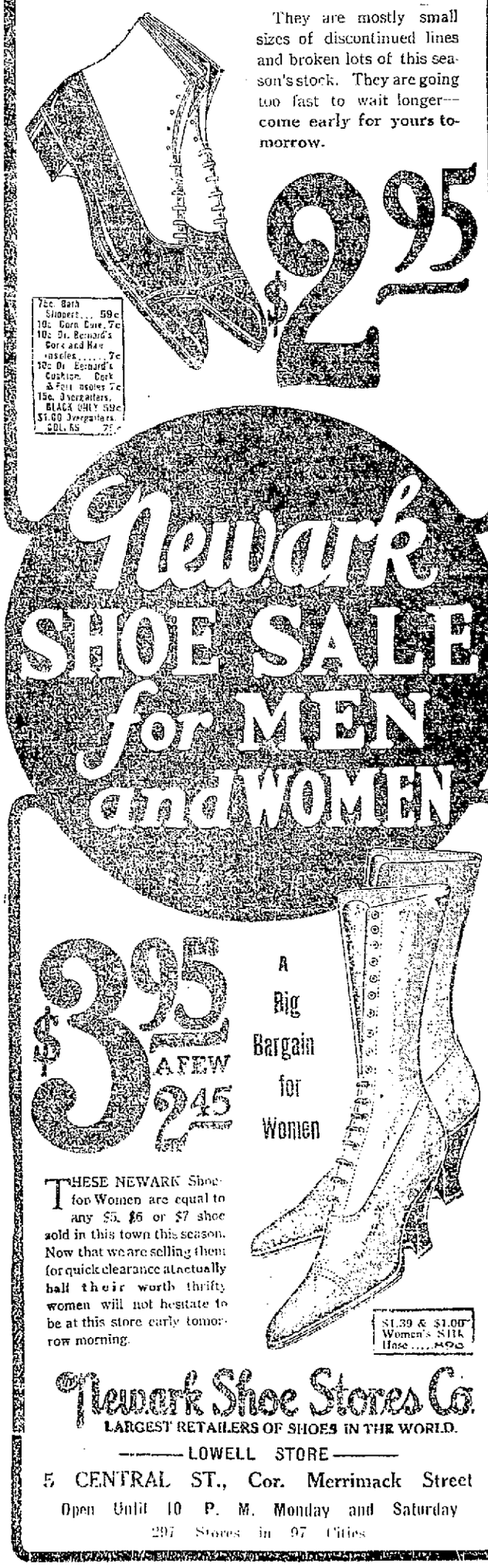

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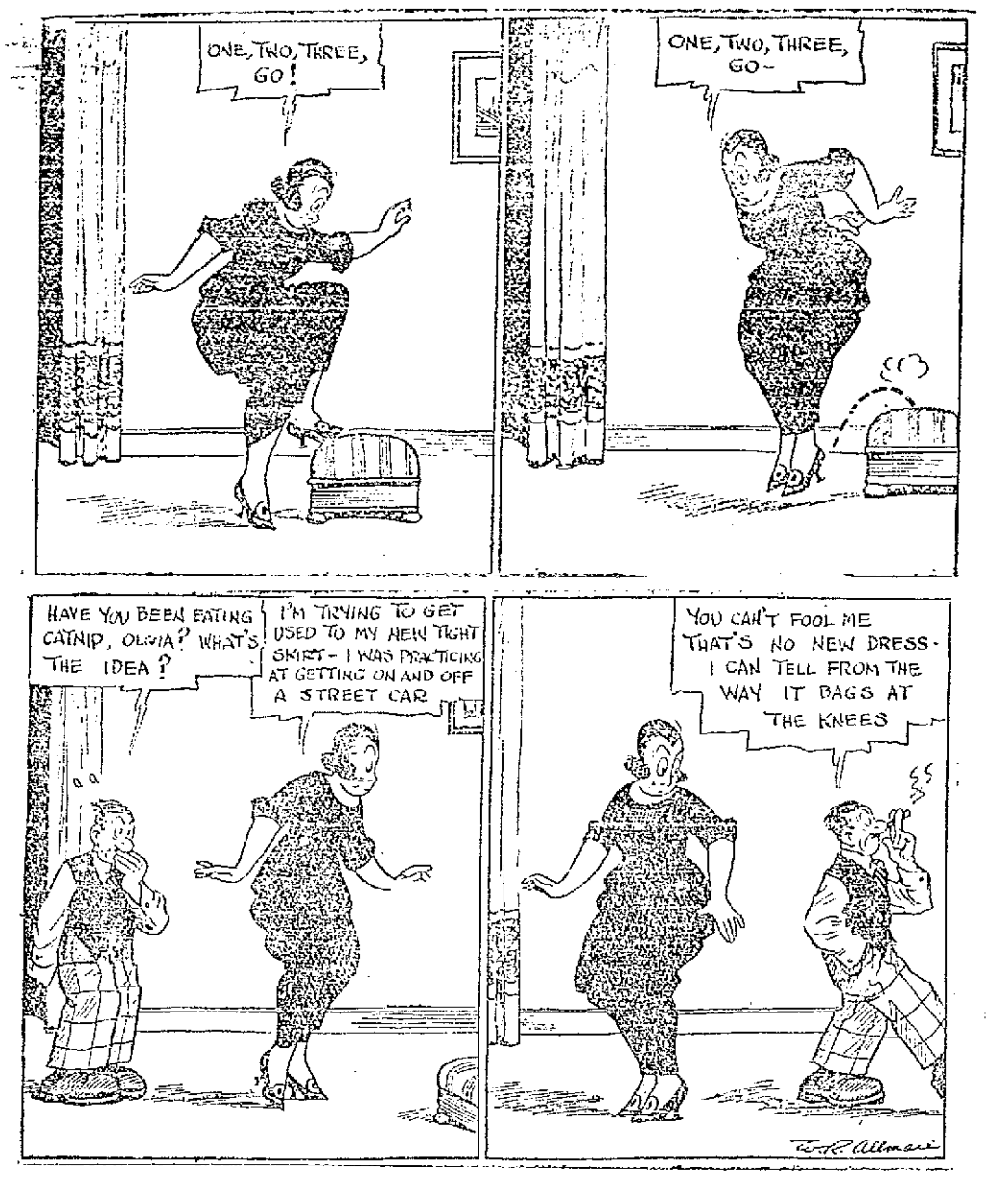

THE NEW DRESSES ARE ALL RIGHT WHEN YOU STAND STILL

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Oils and shippings were again the features of today's stock market. Mexican Petroleum, Royal Dutch and Marine preferred gaining 1 to 2 points. Tobaccos, American Smelting and several high grade rails, notably Southern Pacific and Reading, advanced large fractions and New Haven made further recovery from yesterday's sharp decline. Baldwin Locomotive, Bethlehem Steel and Steel Foundry represented the firm to strong equipments and industrials. Liberty bonds were steadier.

Gains in oils and marine preferred were substantially increased during the first hour. Standard rails also showed further improvement. The advance extended to popular equipments, motors and specialties. United States Steel registered its best quotation of the week on a fractional advance to 91⅞. Coppers were irregular on another dividend reduction and lower prices for the metal. Realizing for profits caused average reactions of a point before noon.

A three point advance in Virginia-West Virginia deferred certificates accompanied advances indicating an early settlement of that long pending litigation. Changes in other stocks were confusing, except Marine preferred and Hide & Leather preferred, which exceeded their best prices of the morning.

Leaders, including rails and steels, experienced another reaction later, while Royal Dutch, Tobacco Products and speculative issues moved to higher levels. The closing was heavy.

Cotton Futures

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Cotton futures opened steady, March 22.35 to 22.65; May 21.85 to 21.97; July 21.20, October 19.70; December 19.50.

Futures closed steady, March, 22.32; May, 21.49; July, 20.95; October, 19.52; December, 19.32.

Spot steady; middling, 23.50.

New York Clearings

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Exchanges $675,244,792; balances $57,671,918.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Time loans firmer; 60 and 90 day, 5 to 5¼; six months, 5¼ to 5½. Call money, strong; high, 5½; low, 5; ruling rate, 5; closing bid, 5; offered at 5½; last loan, 5½; bank acceptances, 4½.

Final prices on Liberty bonds today were: 3½s, 98.86; first convertible 4s, 92.74; second 4s, 92.64; first convertible 4¼s, 94.84; second 4¼s, 93.84; third 4¼s, 95.08; fourth 4¼s, 93.90.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sug	68¾	68⅞	68⅞
Am Can	44⅞	44½	44½
do pf	100½	100⅛	100½
Am Car & F	89¼	88¼	89¼
Am Cot Oil	12¾	12½	12½
Am H & L	18	17⅞	17⅞
do pf	92½	90½	91½
Am Smelt	65	64¼	64⅝
Am Sug	116½	115⅞	115⅞
Am Sumatra	104¼	103¼	103¼
Am Wool	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Anaconda	58⅛	57⅝	57⅞
Atch	91	91	91
do pf	86½	86¼	86¼
At Gulf	96⅝	95¾	95¾
Baldwin	72¾	71¼	71⅝
B & O	46½	45½	46½
do pf	54½	54½	54½
Beth Steel A	61⅝	61	61
do B	61¾	60⅞	60½
do pf S pc	103¾	103¾	103¾
B R T	22½	22	22
Cal Pete	24⅞	23¾	23¾
do pf	69½	68½	68½
Can Pac	158	158	158
Cent Leather	59¾	59	59½
Ches & O	55	55	55
C & Gt W	7½	7½	7½
C R I & P	27¾	27¼	27¼
Col Fuel	36¼	36	36¼
Con Gas	92	92	92
Corn Prod	17½	17¼	17¼
Cru Steel	56	54¾	55
Cuba Cane	21½	21¼	21⅜
Dis Sec	56½	55½	55⅝
Gen Motors	132½	130⅛	130½
Gt N Ore ctf	38½	37⅞	37⅞
Ill Cen	97¼	97¼	97¼
Int Met Com	5¾	5½	5½
do pf	18½	18½	18½
Int Mer Mar	23¾	22¾	23¼
do pf	100½	99¼	99½
Int Paper	40¼	39	40¼
do pf	68	68	68
Kennecott	30	29⅞	29⅞
Lack Steel	65	61⅞	61⅞
Lehigh Val	54⅞	54⅛	54⅛
Maxwell 1st	55½	55	55
do 2nd	22	22	22
Max Pet	178¾	173	173¾
Midvale	42	41½	41½
Mo Pac	24	23¾	24¼
Nat Lead	67¼	67¼	67¼
N Y Air B	96	96	96
N Y & N H	27½	26¾	27
No Pac	90½	90½	90½
Pac Mail	30½	30½	30½
Pitts Coal	46	46	46
Pres Steel	61	61	61
Pullman	113	111⅞	112¾
Ry St Sp Co	72	72	72
Reading	78¾	78	78¼
Rep I & S	73½	73	73
St Paul	36¾	36	36⅛
So Pac	100⅛	99½	99½
So Ry	26¾	26½	26½
do pf	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞
Studebaker	53½	52½	52⅞
Tenn Cop	12½	12½	12½
Tex Pac	32⅞	32¼	32¼
U Pac	128	127½	127½
do pf	73¾	73¾	73¾
U S I Al	105¼	104	104½
U S Rub	76	75½	75½
U S Steel	91⅞	90½	90¾
do pf	114¾	114⅛	114⅛
Utah Cop	68⅛	67⅞	67⅞
Va Chem	52	52	52
Wab	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
do A	31	31	31
Willys	25½	25⅛	25¼
Wes Un	87	87	87
Pan Am	71¼	70⅛	70⅝
P W V	35⅞	35⅛	35⅛

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Prices were irregular in the local stock market today. United Fruit sold down 1¾ soon after the opening and New Haven recovered more than a point. Other changes were fractional.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Ahmeek	70	70	70
Al Gold	35¼	35¼	35¼
Am T & T	101½	100¾	101½
Am Wool	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛
do pf	95	95	95
Bos El	69¼	69	69
Cal & Ariz	59	59	59
Cent Steel	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Chino	33¾	33½	33½
Cop Range	46¾	46¾	46¾
E Butte	9	9	9
Fairbanks	60⅛	58	58½
Greene Can	42	42	42
Inspiration	43¼	43½	43½
Island Oil	5	5	5
La Salle	2¾	2¾	2¾
Mass Elec	2½	2½	2½
do pf	14¾	14¾	14¾
Mass Gas	83	83	83
Mayflower	3½	3½	3½
Miami	22¼	22	22
Mich	2¾	2¾	2¾
Mohawk	50¾	50¾	50¾
Nipissing	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
No Butte	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
Old Dom	34	34	34
Ray Con	20	20	20
Stewart	39½	39	39
Shannon	2½	2¼	2¼
Shat Ariz	11⅛	11	11
Sup & Bos	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Swift & Co	122¼	121¼	122¼
U Cons	7¾	7¾	7¾
U Fruit	162½	162	162½
U Sh M	45⅛	45	45⅛
U S Smel	44½	44½	44½
Ventura	9¾	9½	9¾
Wolverine	18	18	18

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AT THE SIGN OF THE CLOCK—The Right Time to Buy

MAKE VICTORY LOAN MORE ATTRACTIVE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Secretary Glass yesterday told the house ways and means committee that it was apparent "something must be done to make the bonds or notes of the Victory Liberty loan more attractive than their predecessors," and asked that congress give him authority to fix interest rates and determine exemptions from taxation according to financial conditions existing when the loan is floated in April.

TIGHTEN REGULATIONS AGAINST FRATERNIZATION OF GERMANS AND U. S. SOLDIERS

COBLENZ, Thursday, Feb. 13. (By the Associated Press.)—Further evidence of American determination to prevent the intermingling of Germans and men of the army of occupation was given today in the issuance of orders forbidding American soldiers to patronize German doctors. Regulations against fraternization are still strictly enforced and today's order was in line with that forbidding the local purchase of foodstuffs.

Local newspapers express satisfaction with the establishment of the new German government, but the increasing food shortage seems to arouse more popular interest. A slight, but virtually insignificant increase in the meat supply has been made possible by an order directing the sale of condemned American army horses. The shortage of milk, according to statements by physicians, is being reflected in the health of babies. Local appeals have been made to the people to use as little milk as possible, even though ill. The milk consumed by babies in Coblenz is now 3180 quarts daily. Before the war, this consumption, as shown by statistics, was 23,320 quarts.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN

Charles H. Ball, a carpenter with a shop at 127 Market street and residing in Dracut, has reported to the police that his Ford touring car was stolen from the corner of Market and Palmer streets at about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Massachusetts registration on the car is 33653, while the maker's number is 2554983. On one side of the car are the initials, "M. E.B." and there is a new tire on the rear right wheel of the machine.

DISCHARGED FROM DEVENS

The following men were discharged from Camp Devens yesterday: William Raney, Alfred Gervais, Israel Massey, Joseph Dufour, William Wyman, Joseph Branconnier, Joseph Marcotte, Joseph Duguay and Richard Philips.

RAIN BREAKS OUR "DRY BONE" SPELL

Lowell has anticipated the solons i[illegible] congress and has inaugurated he[illegible] "dry" era several months before th[illegible] time designated by that august bod[illegible] But unfortunately, she fell off th[illegible] wagon today and is once more enve[illegible] oped by the "wet" element.

The answer is that not a drop [illegible] rain fell in Lowell from Jan. 23 u[illegible] until this morning or a period of [illegible] days, which is an unusual stretch fo[illegible] this time of the year. The drouth wa[illegible] interrupted a little on Jan. 29 whe[illegible] there was a measly snow storm, bu[illegible] there has not been an out and out rai[illegible] storm since Jan. 23.

The unusually excellent weath[illegible] which has been enjoyed all winter [illegible] typified by these facts. This morning however, the city's thirst got the bet[illegible] ter of her and there was a fairly co[illegible] stant drizzle all forenoon.

CATCH TWO MEN WITH TWENTY FIVE QUARTS OF WHISKEY AT NASHUA

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 14.—Charged with bringing liquor into the stat[illegible] Kazemer Pieukonis and Julius Kitai[illegible] niko were arrested last evening as the[illegible] got off the train from Lowell. They wer[illegible] carrying 25 quarts of whiskey into thi[illegible] city. The pair was taken to Concor[illegible] today for arraignment before the U. [illegible] commissioner there.

COMMUNICATION

Feb. 12, 1919.

Editor, Sun.

Dear Sir: The operators of the loca[illegible] exchange would appreciate it ver[illegible] much if you would allow space i[illegible] your valuable paper for the followin[illegible] communication:

The local telephone operators ar[illegible] justly aroused over the cynical impres[illegible] sion of a telephone operator at work as enacted in the play "It Happened i[illegible] Lowell." The whole gist of the pla[illegible] produced a decidedly incorrect impres[illegible] sion of the local operators. The lead[illegible] ing character of the above-mentione[illegible] burlesque proved to be a chaotic com[illegible] bination of "wads of gum," "Bowery slang," "scandal receptors," and othe[illegible] unfavorable impressions.

Now the operators concede that i[illegible] was not the malicious intention in the writing and production of this play to create such a crude personality as an animated reflection on the local operators. Nevertheless they do deery the lack of tact shown by the parties responsible for the fiasco.

The success of the efforts of the operators to maintain their "service first" motto, is too hard won to have their calling made an object of ridicule.

We thank you, Mr. Editor, in advance for your kindness in allowing this protest to reach the public, and remain Yours respectfully,

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RAPS BISMARCK'S POLICY

Scheidemann Warns New Germany To Profit by His Mistakes

COPENHAGEN, Thursday, Feb. 13.—Philipp Scheidemann, a member of the provisional cabinet of Germany, attacks Prince Bismarck's conception of foreign affairs, in an interview with the Zeitung Am Mittag of Berlin. He says that Bismarck's policy was a failure almost everywhere, and adds:

"We had to pay for its mistakes in North Schleswig and in Alsace and Lorraine."

"The policy of new Germany," he continues, "must be based, not as Bismarck planned, on opposition to, but in harmony with Austria, not in the slender pillar of egotistical might of a single federal government but on the broad democratic basis of the united will of all the German tribes.

"The league of nations has warmest supporters in Germany. We hope America will succeed in convincing other countries that it is to the interest of the entire world that, instead of a heap of ruins in the center of Europe, there should be a newly constructed social democracy. Not in Russia, but in Germany, will the socialist solution of the labor question be found. The heavier the conditions imposed upon Germany, the quicker will Bolshevism spread. World chaos is preferable to slow death by torture.

"The entente may conclude a peace corresponding to its interests, but for us there are limits beyond which it is impossible to go."

The interview concludes with an expression of deep regret that Germany's position is almost nowhere appreciated abroad.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 14.—John O. Stevens, secretary of the Postal-Cable Co. since 1886, died here today. He was 79 years old.

CHATHAM, Feb. 14.—Steamer Sassenheim, laden with sugar from Cuba for Boston went aground on Handkerchief shoal in the thick weather last night and was in a serious situation today with a northeasterly gale blowing and the seas beating heavily.

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—Vincenzo Issarella of Haverhill was sentenced from 12 to 15 years in state prison by Judge Thayer in superior court here today, he pleading guilty to causing the death of Vlado Rocco of Haverhill by shooting him during a dispute over a game of cards.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus held a meeting last evening and discussed the annual charity ball. A committee of ten was appointed to look after arrangements and the date of the event will be announced later. In the course of the meeting it was announced that Dr. James J. Walsh, a speaker of wide reputation, will come to Lowell March 31 as the guest of the organization and will give a lecture on "Marshal Foch." The lecture will be public. Dr. Walsh is now on a tour of the country under the auspices of the national council of the K. of C.

MATZOTHS FOR JEWISH SOLDIERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Every Jewish soldier or sailor overseas, on shipboard or in the United States will be provided with matzoths during the week of the Passover, beginning April 19, by the Jewish welfare board. An order has been placed with the Jewish consistory of France for 100,000 pounds of matzoths. The board is also arranging Passover services for soldiers and sailors.

SALONIKI PAPERS PROTEST

SALONIKI, Feb. 14.—Newspapers here without distinction of party, protest against any plans to internationalize Salonika. It is pointed out by the newspapers that such an act would be prejudicial to both Greece and the allies, and also contrary to the wishes of the people of the city.

KILLED BY AUTO TRUCK

KINGSTON, Feb. 14.—William Anderson, aged 28, of Plymouth, was instantly killed here today, when a large truck he was driving skidded on the ice and turned turtle.

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BANKER HANSON GIVEN TEN YEARS

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Luther E. Hanson, formerly assistant treasurer of the Market Trust Co., in the Brighton district, who pleaded guilty to the larceny of $171,000 of the bank's funds, was sentenced to state prison for a term of from nine to ten years today.

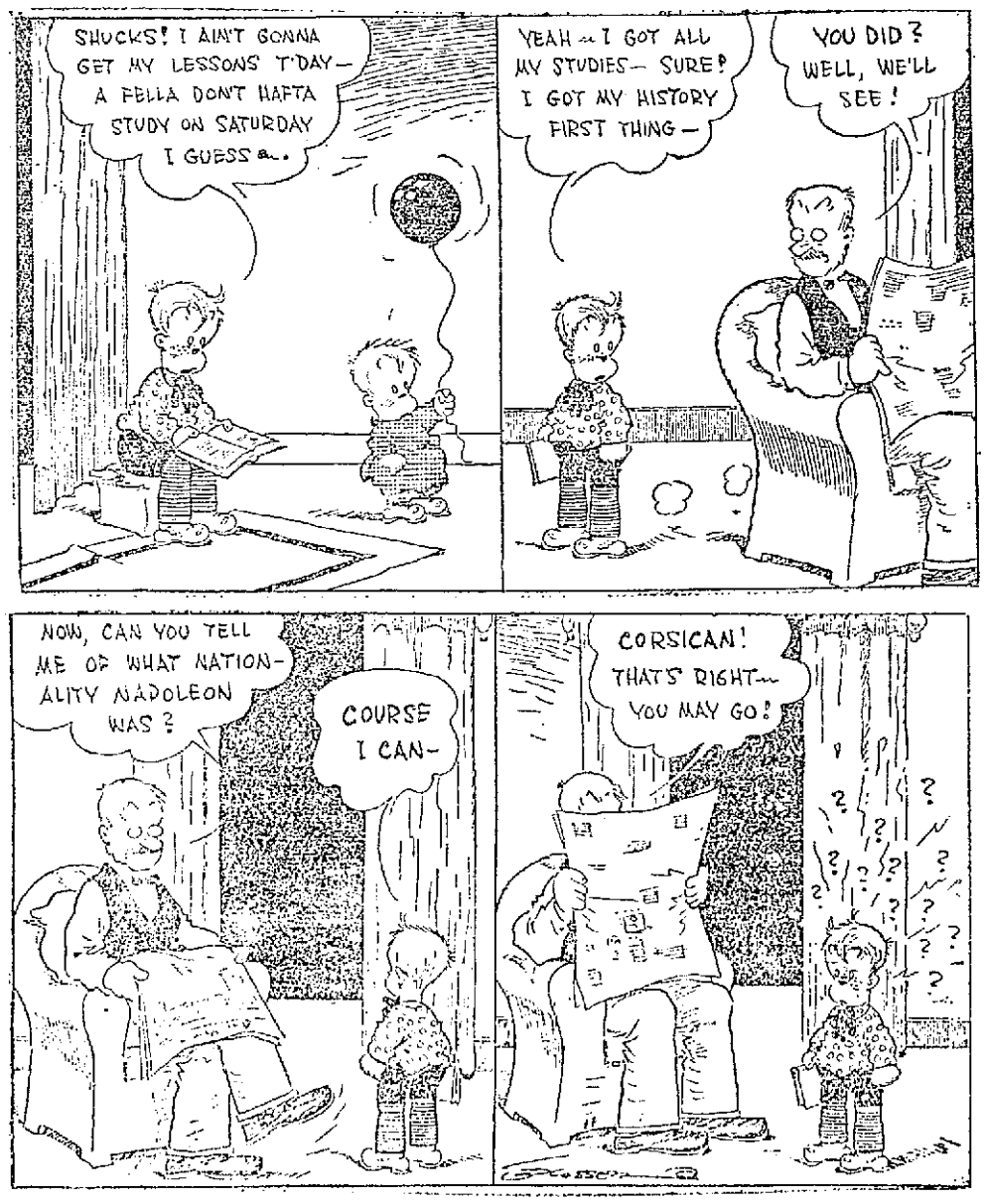
VOTE TO RETURN TO WORK AT BUTTE

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 14.—Machinists made the first break in the strike of copper miners when they voted to return to work today after a three days' layoff, taken in sympathy with members of the Butte Metal Miners' union (independent), and the Metal Mine Workers' Industrial union No. 800, who are on strike in protest against the recent cut in wages of $1 a day.

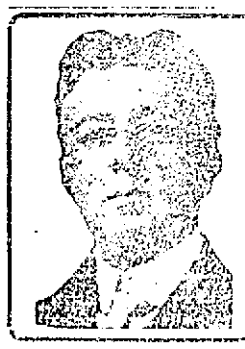
INSPECT N. H. COLLEGE

DURHAM, N. H., Feb. 14.—Many members of the legislature and state officials came to New Hampshire college today on a visit of inspection. They arrived early on a special train from Concord and an all-day program of demonstrations, exhibits and entertainment was provided by the faculty and students. It was the first visit of the legislature as a body to the institution.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — BY BLOSSER



AND HE WAS JUST GOING TO SAY JAPANESE



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SAYS ALLIES TO QUIT RUSSIA

Sen. Hitchcock Predicts Withdrawal of Troops After Conference

Sen. Lodge Calls Campaign Waste of American Lives —Hot Debate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Prediction that the proposed conference at Princes' Islands between representatives of the victorious associated nations and the contending Russian factions would result in an agreement for withdrawal from Russia or American and allied troops was made in the senate yesterday by Senator Hitchcock, chairman of the foreign relations committee during another spirited debate on the American policy toward Russia.

Senator Hitchcock said he believed all the foreign expeditions in Russia "would come out together," under an agreement with the Russian representatives, which would prevent "butchery of troops left in Russia which have been friendly to the allies."

Discussion of the Russian situation was opened by Senator Johnson, republican, of California, who asked for immediate action on his resolution which put the senate on record as favoring withdrawal of the American Russian expedition as soon as practicable.

Lodge and Lewis Clash

After vehement argument and flashes between Senators Hitchcock and Johnson, objection by the former to an immediate vote sent the resolution to the calendar, with a majority vote necessary for its further consideration.

Senator Johnson declared last night after the senate had adjourned that he would continue his fight daily until congress adjourns March 4, by introducing new resolutions as required by parliamentary rules.

During the day's debate, the sharpest of many months in the senate, Republican Leader Lodge and Senator Lewis of Illinois, democratic whip, differed regarding the statement of Premier Lloyd George to parliament that the American government had refused to send more troops to Russia. Senator Lodge said the premier's announcement apparently was authentic and was the first definite statement as to the American policy, while Senator Lewis insisted that Mr. Lloyd George was divulging the decision of the supreme war council and not merely the American policy.

Johnson Resents Bolshevist Charge

In asking immediate consideration of his resolution Senator Johnson made another impassioned attack on the policy of American intervention in Russia, denouncing it as "unusual, vicious and criminal."

Disclaiming sympathy with the Bolshevik government and denouncing their atrocities, Senator Johnson resented a suggestion from Senator Hitchcock that he acted as a "champion" of the Bolshevik element in Russia.

Senator Hitchcock made his reference in presenting the friendly message sent by President Wilson to the Soviet government and the reply, which Senator Hitchcock denounced as "practically an insult" and German propaganda designed to incite rebellion in this country.

Defending American intervention in Russia, Senator Hitchcock said it was an anti-German military move agreed upon with the allied governments. He asserted that the Johnson resolution would not expedite withdrawal of the American forces and favored its reference to the foreign relations committee.

Waste of American Lives, Says Lodge

Both Senators Johnson and Lodge emphasized that Mr. Lloyd George had given what they termed the first authentic statement of the American policy in Russia. Mr. Lodge declared that the Siberian expedition was justified, but said the intervention was too weak to be forceful. He said the northern Russian expedition was "a pure waste of American lives," and the expedition should have been withdrawn when the armistice was signed.

Senator Johnson charged that his original resolution, introduced last December, asking for an official statement of the American policy regarding Russia had been "bottled up" in the foreign relations committee. Senator Hitchcock denied this, and Senator Lodge supported him in the statement that this resolution had been carefully considered, but that a majority of the committee opposed reporting it to the senate.

Some time after the Johnson resolution was sent to the calendar, Senator Lewis revived the subject by deploring an impression which he said might be gained from Senator Lodge's comment on Premier Lloyd George's statement.

Had Information the Senate Lacked

"It may be charged," said Senator Lewis, "that this country has to look to England for a statement of American policy. Such a statement if accepted at its face value would rob the president of the confidence of the people who might assume the United States had yielded its policies to England.

"In a matter where the allied council has acted, it is natural that any of the council should speak. The president has spoken the policy of the league of nations. Lloyd George is spokesman of one of the trinity of powers. Lloyd George spoke as one of the council and of the policy of the council and was not speaking of the policy of this country."

Senator Lodge denied that Lloyd George was outlining the war council's policy and insisted that he was stating, if quoted correctly, the American policy.

"I suppose he got his information from the president while he was at Paris," said Mr. Lodge. "Not that he was dictating American policy, but he had information that we had not."

SERVICE MEN'S BILL PASSES SENATE

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—The bill to appropriate $10,000 for aiding returning soldiers, sailors and Marines to find employment was passed to be engrossed in the state senate yesterday afternoon after a sharp debate.

Discussion started when Senator Beck of Chelsea sought to have an amendment adopted which would provide for a committee of the legislature, instead of the members of the executive council, to join the governor's own committee in carrying out the purposes of this order.

Senator Beck said if the executive council were to be given such authority it would have greater power than the constitution intended it should have. He charged the council with having "interposed unduly" at a time when a drive was made against paying members of recess committees $1000 "despite the fact that the general court desired that sum paid, in that it appropriated money to that extent."

Senator Gifford of the Cape and Plymouth district said the measure had been hastened through both branches because it was the general belief that all elements in the community desired decisive action.

Senator Cavanaugh of Everett, indorsing the amendment, said the passage of the order in its original form would result in the appointment of some board "composed of experts who will give the boys advice as to what sort of work they are fitted for, but no jobs."

Senator Churchill of Amherst expressed the opinion that it would be inconsistent if the senate, after having acceded to the governor's wishes in the past, were to say to him that it was unwilling the money be spent partly under his direction.

By a rollcall vote of 17 to 11 the amendment was rejected. The bill was thereupon passed to be engrossed.

Liquor License Bill

Bills authorizing the issue of liquor licenses for part of a year and authorizing Canton to incur indebtedness to the extent of $70,000 to meet loss of funds by the defalcation of a town official, were passed to be engrossed.

The committee on legal affairs reported recommending leave to withdraw on the bill permitting public sixhour bowling hours in cities of more than 10,000 inhabitants. A similar report was made by the committee on public health on the petition of the Dorchester board of trade to make tenants as well as landlords liable for the sanitary condition of buildings.

The joint committee on rules reported recommending several changes in the joint rules, all of which are designed to conform with the requirements of the initiative and referendum amendment of the constitution, adopted by the voters last fall.

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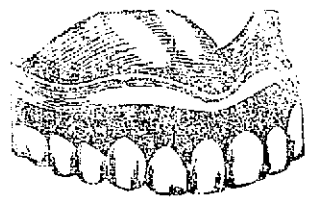

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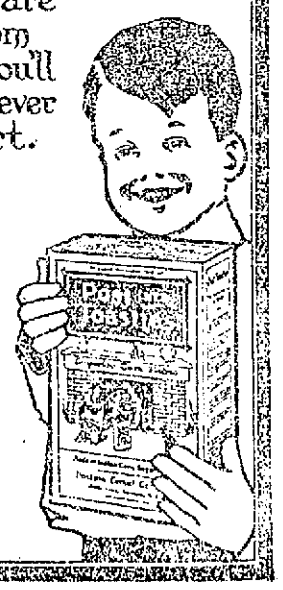

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Lorraine Silk Stripe Voile—36 inches wide. A strictly washable fabric, a good assortment of woven stripes....69¢ Per Yard

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Muslins, Scrims, Marquisette, Voiles, Nottinghams, Scotch Laces, Filet, Nets, French Lacet, Antique Colonial Nets, Macrame and Marne Laces, Imported Scotch Madras and Irish Point Lace Curtains at 25 per cent less than today's regular prices. This is the largest assortment we have ever shown and at a good saving to renew your curtains.

Tamboured Muslin—40 inches wide, 2½ yards long, for your chambers, worth $2.00 ....$1.25 Pair

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Extra Fine Dutch Styles—Worth $5.00 ....$3.50 a Set

Fine Voile Curtains—Full width, 2 1-3 yards long, with two in. hemstitched hem and lace edging. White, cream and Arab, regular price $2.50 ....$1.98 Pair

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Irish Point Lace Curtains—All in the new ivory color and latest pattern of cut work. Small lots of two to six pairs, worth $10.00 pair ....$6.98 Pair

Point de Marne—Genuine French import, the finest and newest living room or parlor curtains. A very fine and dainty drapery ....$12.50 to $16.50 Pair

Bobbinette Curtains—With imitation cluny lace. Insertion or edges ....$2.98 to $5.00 Pair

500 Pairs Dutch Scrim Curtains—Eight styles, lace trimmed. Sold at $2.00 and $2.50 regular ....$1.49 a Set

Filet Nets—The very latest in lace curtains. Plain three inch hem or lace edges. White and Arabian color. Worth $4.00, $2.98 Pair

Imported French Lacet—In white and Arabian. The very best living room curtains, small lots only, worth $15.00 to $25.00. $7.50 to $15.00 Pair

New Craft Lace—Fine thread curtains, very handsome and exclusive. These are all small dainty designs, $5.00 to $8.50 Pair

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Britt's Powdered Ammonia—Whitens clothes, softens the water, cleanser and disinfectant, will not injure the finest fabric. Special ....12¢ Pkg.

Pingo Shine—Liquid wax stove polish with little labor, a brilliant jet black, beautiful enamel-like lasting lustre. This is the best stove polish made. Special to introduce....15¢ Can

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Lighthouse Cleanser—Lightens housework. Recommended for scouring, polishing and purifying. Special ....5¢ Can

PERFECTION OIL HEATERS

Heat when and where you want it. Tank holds one gallon of oil, will burn 10 hours. Special $5.49

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$75.00 Silvertone Coats, marked down to $40.00

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$25.00 Wool Serge Dresses, marked down to....$18.50

$18.50 Wool Serge Dresses, marked down to $12.50

$15.00 Wool Serge Dresses, marked down to $7.50

SATIN DRESSES MARKED DOWN

$25.00 Satin Dresses, marked down to $15.00

$18.50 Satin Dresses, marked down to $12.50

RACCOON COATS MARKED DOWN

$300.00 Nat. Raccoon Coats, marked down to....$175.00

$250.00 Nat. Raccoon Coats, marked down to....$160.00

$200.00 Nat. Raccoon Coats, marked down to $140.00

$175.00 Nat. Raccoon Coats, marked down to....$135.00

SECOND FLOOR

President Wilson Reads Covenant on League of Nations

Continued

territorial integrity and political independence of all states members of the league, against external aggression. In case of any such aggression or any threat or danger of such aggression, the executive council shall advise upon the means by which the obligations of the members shall be fulfilled.

PROVIDES FOR ARBITRATION

The high contracting parties reserve the right to take any action to safeguard the peace of nations in the case of war or threat of war. In the case of disputes arising between them which diplomacy cannot adjust, the high contracting parties will not resort to war without submitting to arbitration or to any inquiry by the executive council and until three months after action by the arbitrators or the executive council.

COURT OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE

The executive council shall formulate plans for the establishment of a permanent court of international justice.

The covenant says that the maintenance of peace will require the reduction of armaments to the lowest point consistent with national safety and the enforcement of international obligations by common action.

REDUCTION OF ARMAMENTS

The executive council shall fix the extent of armaments and these shall not be exceeded without the permission of the council.

It is agreed that the private manufacture of munitions and implements of war "lends itself to grave objections." The executive council is directed to give advice on the abatement of this evil.

The contracting parties undertake not to conceal their ability to produce munitions and armaments and agree on a full interchange of information as to military and naval programs.

VIOLATIONS ON ACT OF WAR

Article XVI provides that if any party breaks or disregards its covenants under Article XII, which provides for arbitration or inquiry by the executive council, it shall be deemed to have committed an act of war against all the other members who will take economic and financial measures against it. These measures will refer both to members of the league and those who are not members.

In such a case it will be the duty of the executive council to recommend the amount of naval forces which each member of the league shall contribute to the armed forces necessary to protect the covenants of the league.

The members of the league agree to support one another financially and economically in any measure taken and also to afford passage through their territory of any forces necessary to carry out the covenants of the league.

In disputes between a member of the league and a state not a member or between states not members of the league, the contracting parties agree that the states not members of the league shall be invited to lay their disputes before the league.

Supervise Traffic in Arms

If states invited to allow the league to adjust their disputes refuse, any action against a state a member of the league would be deemed to be an act of war against all the other members of the league.

The contracting parties agree that the league shall have general supervision of traffic in arms and ammunition with countries in which such traffic would be against the common interest.

Colonies and territories removed from the sovereignty of the states which formerly governed them and not yet able to stand by themselves shall become the trust of civilization.

The tutelage of such countries shall be entrusted to the advanced nations which can best undertake this responsibility acting as mandatories in behalf of the league.

Permanent Bureau of Labor

The contracting parties will endeavor to secure and maintain fair and humane conditions of labor for men, women, and children and agree to establish as part of the organization of the league a permanent bureau of labor.

Freedom of the Seas

The members of the league agree to secure and maintain freedom of transit and equitable treatment for the commerce of all members of the league.

It is also agreed to place under control of the league of international bureaus general treaties of the parties to the treaties consent.

Obligations Abrogated

All treaties or international engagements entered into hereafter by a member of the league shall be registered with the secretary-general and shall not be binding until registered.

The contracting parties agree that the covenant abrogates all obligations among themselves which are inconsistent with the terms of the covenant. They engage that hereafter they shall not enter into any engagement inconsistent with the covenant.

If any member shall enter into engagements inconsistent with the covenant, it shall be the duty of such power to secure its release from such obligations.

The concluding article provides that amendments to the covenant shall take effect when ratified by the states represented in the executive council and by three-fourths of the states whose representatives compose the body of the delegates.

LIKE BOLT FROM HEAVEN'S BLUE

A happy discovery of Cincinnati chemist interests women here

Your high heels have put corns on your toes and calluses on your feet, but why care now?

A genius in Cincinnati discovered a magic ether compound and named it freezone. A quarter ounce of this freezone can now be had at any drug store for a few cents. Apply a few drops on your tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so shriveled and loose that you lift it off with your fingers.

Just think! You get rid of a hard corn, soft corn or a corn between the toes, as well as hardened calluses for a few cents and without suffering one particle, without the slightest irritation of the surrounding skin. Just a touch of this marvelous freezone on a sore, troublesome corn gives instant relief.—Adv.

ENGLAND FACES SERIOUS CRISIS

Veteran Labor Leaders Warn Government That Quick Action Is Necessary

Domestic Problems Command More Attention Than Peace Conference

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The demands of miners and railway men, with the high cost of food and other problems of domestic reconstruction, command more attention from the newspapers than the peace conference. The veteran labor leaders, William Brace and J. H. Thomas, told the house of commons last night that the country would be confronted by the most serious crisis in recent history if these problems were not dealt with immediately.

After the decision of the miners' federation to call for a strike ballot, the federation has issued an official reply to the government's statement regarding the miners' demands. This document charges the government with trying to turn public opinion against the miners and refuses to accept the data upon which the government based its offer of a shilling a day increase in wages. It says the miners' demands for a 30 per cent increase, with a six hour day, is designed to raise their standard of living and not solely to meet the increased cost of living. These points are supported by long arguments, while the demand for the nationalization of the mining industry is reiterated.

Most of the newspapers consider that the government is dealing very reasonably with the miners, and say that the miners are unreasonable in placing a short time limit for a decision on a policy like nationalization, which may mean the changing of the basic foundations of the industry, upon which other important industries largely depend.

The influence of Robert Smillie, the miners' leader, is so great that his advice to members of the federation to vote in favor of a strike is likely to be adopted unless the tension is relieved during the month that the ballot is held up, pending some acceptable compromise. In the event of a strike the Mail's labor expert remarks, the country may be confronted by a "wholesale industrial disaster and such suffering among the poor as even the war failed to inflict."

In the meantime, negotiations between the Transport Workers' Federation and the employers seem to have although a break has not come as yet, reached something like an impasse.

DANCE AT JEWISH WELFARE HUT

Doughboys still limping as the result of getting in the way of some Hun shrapnel; doughboys proudly wearing on their breast the Croix de Guerre; and just plain doughboys, who went overseas to do their bit to make the world safe for democracy, made up the gathering which packed the Jewish Welfare hut at Camp Devens last evening and tripped the light fantastic with over two score Lowell young women of the Y.W.H.A., who had journeyed to the cantonment to take their part in the event.

The affair was run under the auspices of the local Jewish Welfare board and was unanimously pronounced one of the most successful parties, from the boys' point of view, that this organization has conducted at the cantonment. The music was furnished by a jazz orchestra composed of colored troopers, who had all seen service overseas, and was all that could be desired.

The committee in charge of the affair was composed of Mrs. I. Green, Mrs. Bennett Silverblatt, Mrs. Louis Carp, Miss Mae Levine, Mrs. Ida Frank, Miss Dorothy Braverman and Miss Fannie Silverblatt.

FINANCE DEPT. STATEMENT

The December, 1918, statement of the finance department has just been issued and contains a number of items of general interest.

In the mayor's department there appears the fact that $110 was expended for a new typewriter. Dwyer & Co. were paid $138 on their contract for painting the isolation hospital. Various expenses associated with the influenza epidemic amount to $5051.32. The largest item included is the bill paid to the Page Catering Co. for lunches, amounting to $1191.37.

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When father is well fed, also when he knows he has a thrifty housekeeper. You can be thrifty and still be a good provider if you trade at FAIRBURN'S.

CHICKENS
Fresh Killed, Fatted Stock, Pound..... 43c
LEGS OF MILK FED VEAL 25c Lb.

BRITT'S Powdered AMMONIA — Each package equals 3 bottles of Ammonia in strength. 10c Pkg.

BLUE TIP MATCHES — Will strike anywhere. No afterglow. 5 for 26c

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ELGIN BUTTER — Fancy Creamery, lb.	53c
FRESH EGGS — Every egg guaranteed good, doz.	53c
TOILET SOAP — Snowberry—it floats—100% pure. Cake	5c
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR — 12-lb. bag: easy to carry	75c

BREAD
FRESH FROM THE OVEN
LARGE LOAF
1 Pound, 8 Oz. Weight
Loaf 12½c
FOR SATURDAY ONLY

PORK ROASTS — Light pig pork, any size, lb.	30c
FRESH SHOULDERS — Small—4 to 6 lbs.—Lb.	27c
CALVES' LIVER — Freshly cut and very tender, lb.	25c
PICKLES — Dawson brand, medium size, jar	10c
BAKED BEANS — Van Camp's, 22c size, can	17c

TANGO SARDINES (Ravigot style) — Nicely spiced and very appetizing. 15c Value 2 Cans 25c

GEISHA CRABMEAT — Finest crabmeat packed—all white meat. One Pound Size 70c Can

SIRLOIN ROASTS — As fine as you ever ate, lb.	35c
RIB ROASTS — Cut from heavy beef, lb.	25c
LEGS OF LAMB — Rather high this week—but good—Lb.	42c
FOWL — Freshly killed, fancy, lb.	42c

ALL STEAKS ARE LOWER

FANCY VEGETABLES
NATIVE SPINACH, pk. 45c
SWEET POTATOES, lb. 10c
FANCY WASHED CARROTS, 3 lbs. 10c
CAULIFLOWER, lb. 12½c
ONIONS, large, lb. 4c
TOMATOES and DANDELIONS

FLORIDA ORANGES — Large Pineapple brand, doz.	49c
GRAPEFRUIT — Choice fruit—3 for	25c
POP CORN — 1-lb. packages, each	15c

"Leda" Coffee at 35c Is Cheap

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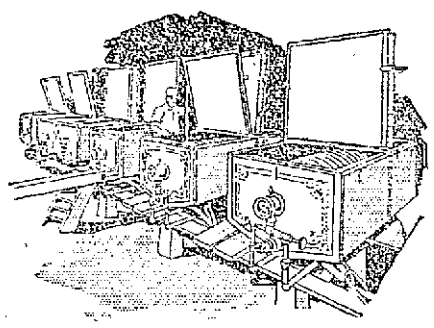

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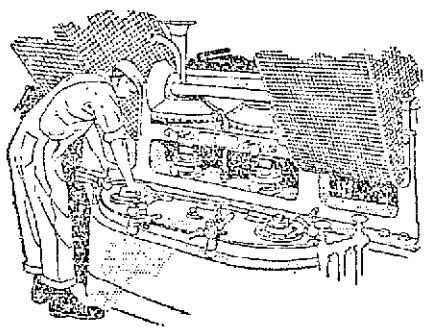

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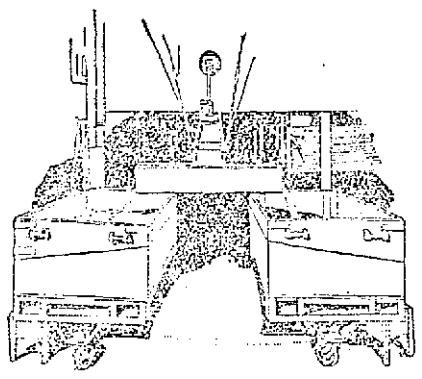

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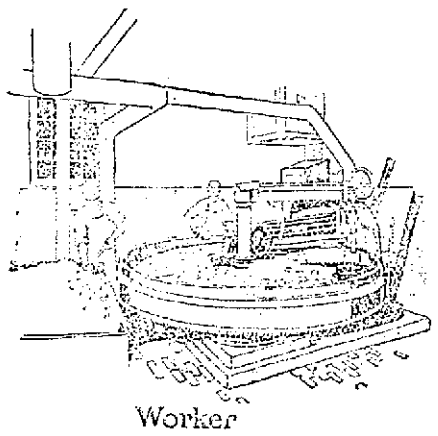

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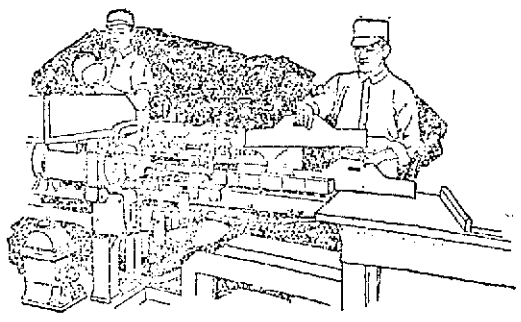

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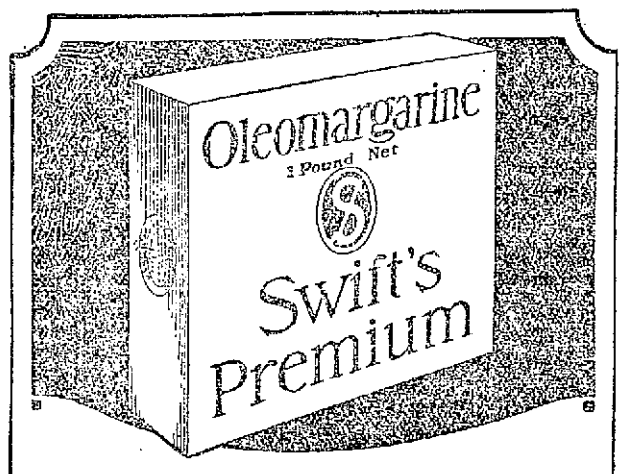

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It contains the elements for growth which all children require.

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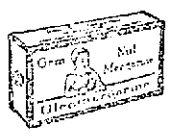

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WOMAN HELD IN $6000

Six Additional Charges of Breaking and Entering and Larceny Against Girl

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Six additional charges of breaking and entering and larceny were preferred today in the Roxbury district court against Mabel E. Norris, who was arrested last week, charged with the theft of jewelry and clothing from several women's educational institutions and clubs in the Back Bay district. She pleaded not guilty to the latest accusations and was held for the grand jury. At the request of the police, bail was increased from $5000 to $6000, and she was sent to jail in default of bonds.

Police officers from Wellesley and Arlington were in court today with warrants charging the young woman, who is but 19 years of age, with larcenies in those towns.

Officers have been able to learn little regarding the girl since her arrest.

RETAIN WAR WAGES

Plea Made in Reconstruction Report by National Catholic War Council

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Adoption of minimum wage schedules, maintenance in general of the wage levels attained during the war and permanent establishment of the national war labor board and the United States employment service were advocated as essentials of a just reconstruction in a report made public yesterday by four Catholic bishops, constituting the administrative committee of the National Catholic War council.

While favoring, in the interest of health and morality, prohibition of child labor and reduction to the smallest practical limits of the employment of women in industry, the committee urged equal pay for women doing equal work with men.

It declared also for insurance of workers against illness, old age and unemployment until wages are high enough to tide over such periods, for abolition of monopolies, for continuance of heavy taxes on large incomes and excess profits, for co-operative merchandising in necessities to reduce the cost of living and for government-assisted colonization of unoccupied farm lands by demobilized soldiers and sailors.

As a measure outside its present reconstruction program, but of value in solving the problems of capital and labor, the committee urged gradual participation by labor in the management and eventually in the ownership of industry.

The report was issued in the names of Bishops Peter J. Muldoon of Rockford, Ill.; Joseph Schrembs of Toledo, O.; William T. Russell of Charleston, S. C., and Auxiliary Bishop Patrick J. Hayes of New York.

Declaring that "the deep unrest so emphatically and widely voiced throughout the world is a most serious menace," the bishops held up "social justice and a contented people" as the only safeguard of peace.

They rated the national war labor board as "one of the most beneficial governmental organizations of the war."

"Flu" epidemic in Paris last year caused 6267 deaths.

An enemy mine was recently discovered in Cook Strait, New Zealand.

For Colds, Grip and Influenza

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4000 TROOPS ARRIVED TODAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The steamship Finland arrived today from St. Nazaire with 3353 troops, of whom 923 were sick and wounded. Most of the troops were casuals and included contingents from Connecticut and Massachusetts. Base hospital No. 18, and the brigade headquarters of the 34th Coast Artillery Corps also were on board. Brig. Gen. Daniel W. Ketcham was in command of the troops.

The cruiser Charleston arrived from Brest with 1271 troops, including the field and staff headquarters and supply company, medical and ordnance detachments and batteries A, B, D, E, and F—340 officers and 1196 men—of the 50th Regiment (regular army) of the Coast Artillery Corps.

Features for The Sunday Supplement of THE SUN Tomorrow

Lieut. Woodles' Second Chapter
Hundreds of people have expressed pleasure at being able to read Lieut. Arthur Woodles' own story of his air adventures, in The Sun, the first instalment of which was published in the Sunday Supplement last week. Do you remember the thrill of horror which spread over the land because of the number of deaths among student flyers at the Texas flying fields last year? Tomorrow's article offers an explanation for this.

A Big Measure of Local Sports
Tomorrow's Sunday Supplement will contain more news of what's doing in the local world of sports than usual because of the addition of a new sporting writer to The Sun staff.

Not Only Beautiful But Adventurous
This international beauty soon to come east from California found the cave of the South African robbers who stole her father's gems and later in India killed a tiger. Later she won a prize at an international beauty contest.

Condemns College Girls Smoking
Lady Lookabout evidently feels very strongly on this subject to which the agitation at Vassar college has recently given new life, and Milady's article tomorrow denounces it. She admires Russia's "Revolutionary grandmother" and wonders if the new "tokens" to be used to pay carfares will start a new fashion in women's purses. Some difference between the subjects, but Lady Lookabout is versatile.

Now for Patriotic Parties
Have you been wanting some new idea for a Washington's birthday party? Biddy Bye offers a suggestion for a patriotic party that is new and novel, in the Supplement tomorrow.

Exploring a Volume of "The Ladies' Pearl"
It was a magazine exclusively for women readers, published in Lowell 77 years ago. A bound volume came to The Sun office some time ago and a Sun writer has conducted a very interesting trip through its pages. It is a faithful mirror of life in Lowell as it was 77 years ago.

Argus' Weekly Paper
Argus this week continues a discussion of the league of nations, showing that it is the only means by which world peace can be secured. He proves also that no nation joining the league will have to surrender any part of its sovereignty. The league will be binding in the same sense as a treaty and without it the world will be subject to frequent wars from which no nation can remain entirely neutral. Argus also answers many of the critics of the proposed plan for a league of nations, refuting their absurd claims and assumptions.

Congress Anxiously Awaits Wilson
Unless the president arrives back in Washington in time to sign all the bills passed between Feb. 21 and March 1 they will not become law. No wonder the solons are "pulling for the S. S. George Washington." She ought to make America in time of course. The president starts tonight but suppose bad weather held even the George Washington back?

Do You Like Dog Stories?
"Dewey" was just what you might call a "sort of a mutt dog," but my, how lovable! Yes, "Dewey" is a Lowell dog and if you love animals you'll like to read the first chapter of "Dewey's" life, which starts in The Sun's Sunday Supplement tomorrow.

Quarter Century Ago
In the Quarter of a Century column "Old Times" tells of mill strikes of 60 years ago when the operatives worked from 12 to 14 hours a day. One mill strike resulted from the abolition of what was known as the "lunch recess." The operatives started work at 5 o'clock in the morning and stopped at 7 o'clock in the evening with half an hour for breakfast, an hour for dinner and a lunch recess of 15 minutes every half day. Other happenings in Lowell 25 years ago are also reviewed in this column in the Sunday Supplement with tomorrow's Sun.

MUNN'S TEA, lb. 60c

You have never tasted a real cup of TEA until you brew one from this product of the Orient. Try some today and taste

REAL TEA

MUNN'S Coffee, lb. 45c

Good coffee is good food. It tones up the body and satisfies the palate. It begins and ends the day with a smile.

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25c Fancy Prunes... 20c
13c Skinner's Macaroni ... 8c
25c Baker's Cocoa.... 21c
13c Campbell's Soups.... 10c
8c Ivory Soap, 3 for 20c
25c Can Tomatoes 18c

Fresh Eggs
Fresh Butter
Fancy Cheese
Fresh Cream

EXTRA SPECIAL
India River Oranges
50c doz. and very fancy

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War Certain Without Sarajevo Murder —Pre-war Stories Shattered

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Some of the accepted stories of the happenings of the momentous days just prior to the war, it is understood, are shattered in a book based on official documents and personal notes of diplomats and officials, to be issued today.

The book characterizes as a fallacy the belief that the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand at Sarajevo was a "state-managed affair," but it is asserted from knowledge gained from official documents that if the assassination had not occurred the war certainly would have been started very soon.

The famous Potsdam conference of July 5, 1914, the books says, was not what has been generally accepted. The meeting took place, but it was not a formal conference, as has been declared repeatedly. Many persons supposed to have been there, it is said, were not present. Emperor William and the German imperial staff were present, however, and at this conference Germany definitely decided for war.

The book was written by Prof. Chas. W. C. Oman, president of the Royal Historical society and a professor of history at Oxford university. A. J. Balfour, the British foreign secretary, and Lord Curzon, government leader in the house of lords, are understood to have taken an active interest in its compilation.

One of the "damning revelations," as Prof. Oman calls them, is his statement that from a close study of Munich newspapers he has established that the ultimatum from the Vienna government to the Siberian government was deliberately timed when President Poincare and Premier Viviani of France were at sea, after their departure from Petrograd, in order to make it difficult for the entente to reach an understanding.

A series of hitherto unpublished communications between Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary in 1914, and Prince Lichnowsky, German ambassador in London at the outbreak of the war, go to prove, Prof. Oman says, that the British foreign office believed that Lichnowsky was absolutely honest.

The book says: "They emphasize the personal anxiety of Lichnowsky and show that he was actually and literally betrayed by his government—in other words, that he was the unwilling tool of the kaiser."

Note from Prince Lichnowsky

On July 20, 1914, Prince Lichnowsky wrote privately to Sir Edward Grey: "I begin to hope that it once more has been possible, owing to Anglo-German collaboration, to save the peace of Europe."

On July 30, Sir W. E. Goschen, British ambassador in Berlin, wrote to Sir Edward Grey, saying: "The chancellor told me last night that he was pressing the button with a view to forming a moderating influence on Vienna."

Information contained in the book shows that the opposite was taking place that Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg was doing everything possible to set the German war machine going.

Journalistic Mystery

The book refers to a journalistic mystery never cleared up—the publication by the Westminster Gazette on Aug. 1, 1914, of a despatch dated in Berlin, giving the text of a purported telegram addressed on July 30 by von Bethmann Hollweg to the German ambassador in Vienna saying: "We must refuse to be drawn into a world conflagration through Austro-Hungary not respecting our advice."

Prof. Oman says that the newspaper never revealed the source of the despatch and it was never included in the German White Book or in any official publication, yet the document was dragged out two and one-half years later by Chancellor Michaelis and cited as proof that Germany was holding back until Russia mobilized, which mobilization Germany gives as the cause of the war.

The book goes into detail of the fateful night during which the order of Emperor Nicholas countermanding the Russian demobilization was ignored by the Russian war minister and the chief of the Russian general staff. It is shown that the emperor was not in possession of information in the hands of his war minister and chief of staff.

STYLE FROM SOUTHLAND

The lucky ladies whose family fortunes permit a southward flitting when the calendar page croaks "February" often carry with them the advance fashions for spring and summer. Displayed on Palm Beaches and hotel verandahs they indicate what will be worn on Main street, Anytown, Ohio, next May. This stunning afternoon [illegible] frock is fashioned of [illegible] silk with [illegible] gray chiffon, small silver buttons and a silver belt buckle are the only ornaments.

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Baffin Seal Cape Coats and Caracul Cloth Coats. Large fur collars and belted styles. James' price $35 to $40. Sale Price.....$19.50

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Bolivias, Pom Poms and Plush Coats, all silk lined, with and without fur collars. James' price $27.50 to $40. Sale Price.....$19.50

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Billie Burke House Dresses in good quality gingham and chambray, all sizes. James' price $2. Sale Price $1.35

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Georgette Crepe Blouses in white and colors, small lots, but good collection. James' price $5.00 to $10. Sale Price $3.29

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New Spring Suits, styles are exceptionally good. Materials are poplin, serges. Colors are navy, black and rookie. Sale Price.....$16.50

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor
Men's Wear Serge, navy and black, new Spring styles, splendid quality material. Sale Price $22.50

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor
Heavy Poplin and Serge, for mid-season wear. In black and navy. James' price $25. Sale Price $12.50

DRESSES FOR WOMEN BASEMENT
Large lot of Dresses for women and misses, not all sizes in every style, but all sizes in the lot. All wool serges, taffetas and satins. Excellent array of styles. James' price $10 and $18. Sale Price.....$6.98 and $7.98

APRONS SECOND FLOOR
Allover Bungalow Aprons, navy blue, good full size. James' price $1.50. Sale Price.....85¢

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops
Good Quality Serge Dresses. Regulation Middy styles. Also high waistline, pleated skirt model. Navy only. Sizes 6 to 14 years. James' price $8.00. Sale Price.....$4.75

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops
Small lot of Velvet Dresses, sizes 8 to 16 years. Colors are navy and brown. Youthful styles, prettily embroidered. James' price $12. Sale Price $8.75

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops
Taffeta Dresses, plain and plaited skirts, round necks piped with contrasting color material, button trimmed. Others embroidered. Sizes 6 to 16 years. James' price $12 and $13.50. Sale Price $8.75

COATS FOR GIRLS LITTLE GRAY SHOPS
Warm Broadcloth and Wool Velour, fur trimmed. Others are plain belted models with full flare skirt. Mostly dark shades. Sizes 6 to 14 years. James price $16.50 and $20. Sale Price $10.75

COATS FOR GIRLS LITTLE GRAY SHOPS
Velvet and Burella Coats, nearseal collars, large pockets, button trimmed. Sizes 8 to 14 years. James' price $12. Sale Price.....$8.50

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All Wool Velours, Cheviots, Burellas, all weighty garments. A good assortment of styles and colors. James' price $15 and $22.50. Sale Price $7.39

PETTICOATS SECOND FLOOR
Heatherbloom Petticoats, in fancy patterns, light blue, rose, gray and purple. James' price $1.98. Sale Price $1.35

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Voile Waists in a large assortment of styles. Sizes up to 46. James' price $1.19. Sale Price 75¢

APRONS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT
Striped Percale Aprons, light and dark colors. James' price $1.00. Sale Price.....59¢

HOUSEDRESSES FOR WOMEN BASEMENT
Light and dark colors, made of good quality percale. Sizes to 44. $1.50 value. Sale Price 98¢

PETTICOATS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT
Women's Outsize Gingham Petticoats. James' price $1.25. Sale Price.....89¢

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THE PAPERS CLOSE TO MASSES

Never was people so close to their newspapers as they are today. Never were the daddies, great and small, giving such solid service.

People are being rallied to their post-war duties. The inspiration of governmental leaders is securing constructive action. There is massed thought and massed action.

Your newspapers today are a greater, a stronger, more economical, more efficient advertising medium, than ever before. The newspapers never before "stood so well" with the people. The newspapers have been dipped in the crucible of war too, and the report on the test is 100 per cent. O. K.

Newspaper readers are seeking the guidance of advertising in newspapers more studiously than ever before because the greater need exists. This is a time when patriotic and public spirited business men of all kinds, including merchants and manufacturers, give the people helpful advertising messages by using newspaper space.

The buying habits of the people are diplomatically being directed into channels most likely to help the government and when we say helping the government, that means helping You and Me, Your Neighbor and My Neighbor and all of us, for now, more than ever before, is it true, "No Man liveth unto himself alone." If he insists on trying to, he will get sick of it, as many have.

The Sun is an agency to convey the news, the sentiment and the trade offerings of this live community. You are not part of hustling business life of the city unless you are represented in the ad column of

THE SUN

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STATE ADVERTISING

A message, however large and important, pent up in one human being's head, is not a message. It is merely a thought, an idea, a bit of knowledge. It becomes a message only when it is communicated to other ears.

And, as the world is wide and people are numerous, ears are not easily reached, excepting in ones and twos. So we reach thousands and millions of ears through as many eyes.

In other words, printed pages carry messages to those who use their eyes.

Up in North Dakota there are few people and many acres. The people want neighbors. They want folks from thickly populated centres to settle on idle farms and make them productive of food and wealth. So they are sending that message to other men and women. But the state itself is dictating the message and paying for the sending of it. North Dakota's state legislature has just passed an act appropriating $200,000 for state advertising purposes: to let the rest of the world hear her message of idle land and the need for workers. This is probably the first time that any state government spent state money to advertise the state for the benefit of the state's citizens, present and future.

SALARY RAISING

This is not a time for raising salaries or wages to any great extent, particularly in municipal offices. The conditions do not warrant advances at a time when the tendency is in the opposite direction.

The cost of living must come down. It is coming down gradually and this tendency will continue until checked by the boom of prosperity that is sure to arrive in the near future.

Mills and factories that earned big money during the war could conveniently shut down for a few months and await the return of certainty, the settlement of policies as to tariff, export and freight charges. But the operatives cannot afford to be idle. These conditions make conservatism by labor leaders and organizations imperative until the transition period shall have passed.

When this business boom will come is not certain; but one thing quite sure is, that any labor troubles will retard it. If harmony and co-operation prevail, it may set in about May or June, but otherwise it may be delayed till next fall.

All depends upon wise management, patience, co-operation and mutual forbearance between employes and employed.

LETTER CARRIERS

The busy man deposits money in a bank and uses checks to his creditors. He saves his legs. He makes use of the postman's legs. If 10,000 letters save one hour each busy day, and that estimate is away too low for any big city like New York or Cleveland, Detroit or Chicago, Washington or Los Angeles and if each hour saved is worth no more than a dollar, then you have $10,000 saved each day to the business community by its postmen.

That's only a part of the service the postman makes for the community he serves.

Yet some of us fail to think of him in the way when he wants a raise in pay.

The postmen in small towns are paid from $900 to $1200 a year which, in these times, is far too little for the service rendered.

NEW WAR LOAN

The next war loan will soon be asked from the people and it is a certainty that the masses are not now prepared to meet the demand as they were when all were working overtime at good wages. Still, if the conditions be made sufficiently attractive, those who have the money will buy the bonds. Secretary Glass has in hand the task of floating the next loan and it must be authorized by the present congress. To await action by the next congress would be to leave our soldiers and sailors unpaid for a time after their wages fall due.

The amount of the loan has not yet been announced, but it will be probably between five and six billion dollars, possibly higher.

We all admit the Providence Journal is a very fine paper and its contribution to the work of fighting German spies and propagenda will always be regarded as one of the most notable achievements of American journalism. Lately, the Journal says, members of its staff have consulted high legal authorities who have reassured the Journal that Polk, in proclaiming the ratification of the bone dry amendment, seriously erred. The Journal asserts that many states must ratify prohibition not through their legislatures, but by popular vote. The Journal is probably dealing with a much involved proposition, a legal technicality which the highest court in the land may have to decide.

There is a question of whether the expressed regret of the people of the French nation, at seeing the American legions departing for home, may not be based on reasons entirely political. Probably American soldiers, many of them responsible for the support of families, feel that their contribution of blood and valor has been all that the French can reasonably expect. None of us believes German ambition can be backed up by resources sufficient to menace Europe's peace again in the near future. Still, in her war torn position, France may be excused for insisting upon protective measures.

This afternoon, some "sample boxing bouts" were put on in the Chicago city council chambers so the city's solons could learn more intimately about boxing, the idea being that Illinois, or certain interests therein, are trying to legalize boxing. The talent for the matches this afternoon was recruited from Great Lakes Naval Training station, with the addition of a few professionals. Whether Illinois legalizes boxing or not, we'll say that we hope the city fathers were treated to some good bouts.

Over in New York, they are worrying some about the prospect of ice being sold at a high price next summer. The faithful old Hudson, so far, has shown a disinclination to freeze over. We had previously supposed the New York conception of ice was that its chief use was to cool beer and cocktail material. As far as that goes, the present apprehension may be somewhat intensified inasmuch as in New York, after June 30, ice for such purposes will be unnecessary.

So 40 per cent of the French girl wants to marry American husbands. But the Paris paper that printed this story print it as truthful news or did it print it as a subtle French compliment to the Stars and Stripes who hustled over to help out Joan's country? Many thousand of American soldiers have already disembarked from ships which started from French ports. Where are their French wives? There must be some buddies too gallant to let a French girl pine for an American mate.

In regard to Mayor Ole Hanson of Seattle, advices from that city certify that the only foreign thing about Mayor Hanson is his name. The Seattle papers say he was 100 per cent American and proven so even before strong-minded shipyard workers tried to make the fine city on Puget sound a replica of Petrograd.

SEEN AND HEARD

Well, did you get that expected valentine?

You can help yourself by keeping tabs on yourself.

It is not always wise for one to relate one's observations.

They do tell that the spice of life is generally found in family jars.

Some men will have a lot of time to spend at the movies and elsewhere after July 1.

"To resume war if Germany fails to carry out terms." Good idea, we know now to do it now.

Lowell wants to build a new school but the Locks & Canals must be consulted first. What emphasis it lends manual!

Remember that the little Armenian was just as human and tender as you were when you were born. There's no good reason why he should be slaughtered any more than you. Help out Brother Hockmeyer's relief campaign as a part of your reconstruction program.

Her Preference

The wife of a congressman had two sons who were in the habit of taking the pretty nursemaid out for a good time. The boys would not own up to it when she tried to caution them lest their father learned the situation.

She then went to the pretty nurse and by a little finesse disarmed her of thinking she was displeased.

"Minna," she said, "which of the boys do you like to go out with best, Tom or Harry?"

"Well," said the maid, "I think I prefer Harry, but for a real good time I like your husband best."—Ginger Jar.

Cost of Salvation

A colored preacher had just concluded a sermon on "Salvation Am Free" and announced that a collection would be taken up for the benefit of the parson and his family. A member in the audience objected to the paradoxical nature of the proceedings, and received this bit of negro logic in response:

"S'pose yo' was thirsty an' come to a river. Yo' could kneel right down an' drink your fill, couldn't yo'? An' it would cost yo' nothin'. Dat water would be free. But s'posin' yo' was to have dat water piped to yo' house, you'd have to pay, wouldn't you? Waal, brudder, so it is wid salvation. De salvation am free, but it's de habin' it piped to yo' dat you got to pay fo'."—San Diego Union.

Too Late Then

An officer home on leave took his wife to the seaside. When his leave was up he left her there and came up to his home for the night to sleep, leaving his house early next day to return to the front.

The postgirl brought a letter a few minutes after he had gone, marked "urgent," and addressed to him. A neighbor told the postgirl that he had departed and readdressed it to him.

The mail boat was lost in the channel, but the mails were saved and the letter came back, was again taken over by the same neighbor and again posted to the front.

One morning the officer was in the dread act of going "over the top" when the letter was handed to him and this is what it said: "Dear George—Be sure to tell Mrs. Williams that our cat is not to have cat's meat more than once a week, as it makes the darling so fierce."

My Valentine

O, loved one of mine, my fair valentine,
My pen in love's nectar I dip
To write of the skies in the blue of your eyes,
And the red of your sweet pouting lip.

You come with my dreams, as the lilful fire gleams,
And sit on my knee in the dusk.
Yes out of life's dash, such wine do I quash,
While others are eating bar husks.

Your dainty white hand, like a small fairy wand,
Is lifted my brow to caress,
And two witching feet, in slippers as neat,
Peep out from the hem of your dress.

And the mesh of your hair, with the stars playing there,
Is a crown for an empress to wear,
Ah, the curve of your chin, with the dimple tucked in,
And the round of your throat under there!

I know that no man, since time first began,
Or the stars in their courses to shine,
Ever held on his knee such a creature as she
Who perches this evening on mine!

With a clasp of my arms I gather your charms
With a fervor I make to deplore—
For with rattle and clink, that awoke me, by jink!
My meerschaum has dropped on the floor.

—Victorian Magazine.

May Be Missing Link

The Paris Figaro gives an account of a recent remarkable discovery of paintings in a prehistoric cave of South France. In particular a sketch has been found of a man who went about on all fours and possessed a tail. The account runs in part:

"Recent Bergonian and his sons discovered on the wall of the subterranean gallery of the cavern estimated to be 20,000 years old, and in such vivacity and variety that the extraordinary ensemble of prehistoric life your constitute a veritable museum.

"The animals painted in the cave are considerable in number and include reindeer, bison, horses, both isolated and in groups, bears, elephants and rhinoceroses. The representations of felines are very rare but Messrs. Bergouen have photographed in their cave a genuine lion, executed in bas-relief. They have made out also several birds, including swans, ducks, as well as three predatory night flyers.

"The human figure is likewise represented in the cave, which has been named 'The cave of the three brothers.' A silhouette is particularly remarkable, almost baffling. It represents a man in motion: a man of powerful body, whose head and shoulders are joined by an enormous neck, a man whose upper and lower limbs and whose hands and feet are perfectly human, but whose vertebral column is prolonged in an exterior appendage resembling that of the anthropoids—a man, at least, qui marche a quatre pattes!"

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

I am not sure in what division of the street department Westford street is, who is directly responsible as supervisor of its cleaning or in fact, who the faithful sweeper men are who go over it but here and now I want to say that Westford street from its entire length seems to me to be one of the cleanest kept streets in all the city. I have seen streets in Lowell where the sweepers, like slovenly housewives who sweep lint and dust under rugs, swept street litter up around tree boxes but such is not the case on Westford street. Now, to cite an example of a street, the condition of which is the very reverse of this excellent condition, I'll name Paige street right here in the heart of the city and located where I suppose more out-of-town folk see it than ever see Westford street. Paige street is a dirty looking street and unless it's stipulated that it be kept dirty, I should think there would be a change made about the care given it.

A new point in the basic eight-hour day program under which Lowell mill people now work—a point which ought to receive some attention from the thrifty minded—was brought out by two men I heard talking on a street car homeward bound yesterday. Said the first man, "Well, if I were a young man employed in the mills at the present time it seems to me I would ask for nothing better than to have the chance to work under the eight-hour system. What a change from the drudgery hours that used to prevail. The young man who wants to get ahead by study outside of working hours or wants to improve his time by means other than study, has all the chance in the world to do it. I expect there was a time when the old time mill workers never dreamed the industry would be conducted on the eight-hour basis. With things as they are now, if a young man employed in the mills does not better his condition and get a better job or a better situation in life, it must be said that the matter is wholly up to him. He now has plenty of time to help himself. It's his own fault if he doesn't get ahead."

Well, I hear Lieut. Paul H. Hines of Boston, now a member of the staff of the Boston Post and formerly a member of the famous 26th Division, will be one of the speakers at the patriotic dinner to be given by the local Fourth degree Knights of Columbus on the evening of Washington's birthday. I know Paul Hines. I know him very well, and like all Boston newspapermen who ever did know him, I'll say that to know him is to admire and respect him. We used frequently to work together on assignments in Boston and I suppose if Paul were very much pressed he would tell of a mild and rather humorous adventure he and I had of which the third actor was a German propagandist. This soldiering business is no new thing for Paul Hines. He had served one or two enlistments in the Marines long before this matter with the Huns came up. The members of Bishop Delany assembly are to be congratulated that they are to hear Lieut. Hines' story of his experiences at St. Mihiel and Seicheprey. He is a newspaperman who writes a good story and, unlike most newspapermen who write good stories, he can tell his story well.

Does advertising in The Sun pay? Well, I should say it did. Tom Maguire and young Lavelle corner me every now and then and tell me what wonderful things are accomplished when Lowell people listen to the space selling propositions they advance and many times I turn a deaf ear to the tales as our branch of the newspaper game is of course far above the filthy there part of the business. Oh, yes. But yesterday they unloaded an advertising story on me that I choose to put in the col. even at risk of being accused of "tooting his own horn." "Tooting his own horn," or not, this is a true story. The Bon Marche people put an ad in The Sun desiring to hire an auto driver. The first day after the ad appeared in The Sun the manager at the store said he guessed that ad better be taken out of The Sun as applicants were taking up the space in the store so much. The second day after the ad appeared I hear the manager of the store phoned to The Sun's composing room and yelled to the foreman, "Say, you'll just have to jerk out that ad of ours for an auto driver. We've already had 41 applicants and more evidently coming up the street. If you ran the ad another day Bon Marche would have to hire all these good young fellows and start a new branch of the department store business."

Lincoln's birthday morning Miss Louie I. Smith, who "mothers" a score or so of little tots up in the Pine street kindergarten, told her very little scholars something about Lincoln. She concluded her story by saying, "Now in our country the people pick out a man whom they believe is a very wise man and they elect him to be our president. It was that way with Mr. Lincoln and the same with Mr. Wilson, our great president who is now away across the big water." The circle of eager, interested little faces showed the interest with which the story had been received. In Miss Smith's school, it seems, when you feel like talking you can talk and in fact telling one's ideas is encouraged. Finally, the spell was broken. One little chap said to Miss Smith and his comrades in general, "Well, I guess my father isn't very wise and I guess they'll never pick him out for our president. He's just a daddy."

Many Sun readers saw in this paper Wednesday the account of the awarding of honors to different members of the crew U.S.S. Mt. Vernon for heroism displayed when the vessel was torpedoed off France. Many persons wondered how it happened that the Lowell colony on board escaped receiving an honorable mention. There are four Lowell boys on the Mt. Vernon and they have all been on her for quite some time. There is a young fellow named Simpson whose first name I have been unable to get, Seaman Ira Booth, Seaman James Brosnan and Chief Petty Officer George H. Bird, whose home is at 191 Chelmsford street, this city.

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After Being Relieved of Organic Trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oregon, Ill.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for an organic trouble which pulled me down until I could not put my foot to the floor and could scarcely do my work, and as I live on a small farm and raise six hundred chickens every year it made it very hard for me.

"I saw the Compound advertised in our paper, and tried it. It has restored my health so I can do all my work and I am so grateful that I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. D. M. ALTERS, R. R. 4, Oregon, Ill.

Only women who have suffered the tortures of such troubles and have dragged along from day to day can realize the relief which this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters.

The letters constantly being published from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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by DR. KLINE'S EPILEPTIC REMEDY. It is a rational and remarkably successful treatment for Fits, Epilepsy (Falling Sickness) and Kindred Nervous Derangements. Get or order it at any Drug Store—

Send for our valuable book on Epilepsy. It is FREE

Dr. R. H. Kline Co. DEPT. B RED BANK, N.J.

OUR MARK DOWN SALE OF FINE SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR

$22.50

Is simply continuing our plan of clearing up stock at the end of each season.

The highest class Suits and Overcoats are included in this sale and for a price as low as you paid for these qualities two years ago.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

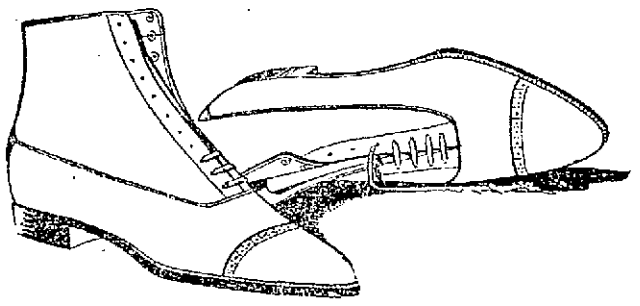
including smart models of Suits that have been selling for $28.00, $30.00, $35.00, $40.00 and $42.00. Sizes 33 to 48 in the lots, now

$22.50

OVERCOATS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

—full box, waist seam, form-fitting and conservative models, including some of "Society Brand" Overcoats—have been selling for $30.00, $35.00, $37.50, $40.00 and $45.00—Sizes from 33 to 48 stout in the lots, now

$22.50



HERE'S A SALE OF HIGH CLASS SHOES THAT'S DECIDEDLY UNUSUAL

Men's Shoes have been selling for $9.50, $10, $11, $12 and $13.50, now — **$8.50**

Men's Shoes have been selling for $7, $7.50, $8 and $8.50, now ..... — **$5.75**

Men's Shoes have been selling for $4.50, $5, $5.50 and $6, now ..... — **$3.75**

Putnam & Son Co.

166 CENTRAL STREET

A Woman's Health

means everything to her. But so many of our American women are worn out, anemic, and suffering from the peculiar weakness of womankind. To build up, strengthen and cure these weaknesses, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is a woman's true herbal tonic. It does not contain a particle of alcohol, nor anything deleterious to women's delicate constitution. For fifty years it has proven its merit, and can now be had in tablet as well as liquid form at almost any drug store, or send 10c for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

THAT WEAK BACK

Accompanied by pain here and there—extreme nervousness—sleeplessness—maybe faint spells, chills or spasms—all are signals of distress for a woman. She may be growing from girlhood into womanhood—passing from womanhood to motherhood—or later suffering during middle life, which leaves so many wrecks of women. At any of these periods of a woman's life, "Favorite Prescription" is the best herbal tonic and nervine prescribed for just such cases by a physician of vast experience in the diseases from which women suffer. Then, for the liver and bowels nothing is so good as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of May-apple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground. All druggists.

You can write Dr. Pierce, Pres. Invalids' Hotel, in full confidence and receive free medical advice.

DIES SUDDENLY

Military Governor of Paris Succumbs at Dinner

PARIS, Feb. 14.—General Moinier, military governor of Paris, died last night, while at dinner.

PERSHING'S AID DIES OF PNEUMONIA

PARIS, Feb. 14.—Col. Carl Boyd, principal aide-de-camp to General Pershing, has died of an attack of pneumonia. His home was at Adamsville, Ga., and for a number of years he was military attache of the American embassy here.

THE MAYOR THANKS THEATRE HEAD

Mayor Perry D. Thompson today forwarded the following letter of appreciation to Benjamin Pickett, manager of the B. F. Keith theatre for the part which he contributed toward the success of the Roosevelt memorial exercises in the theatre last Sunday. The city was able to obtain the use of the theatre without a cent of expense and received every manner of co-operation from the management and employes. Today's letter follows:

Feb. 14, 1919.

Mr. Benjamin Pickett, Keith's Theatre, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Mr. Pickett:

I desire to take occasion to thank you in behalf of the city government of the city of Lowell for the very substantial part that you contributed towards the success of the Theodore Roosevelt memorial day at your theatre.

It is indeed most gratifying to me to say that the exercises conducted at your theatre on Sunday last were carried on under most favorable auspices, due greatly to the courteous attention rendered by yourself and the attaches of your theatre.

Thanking you heartily, I remain,

Very truly yours,
PERRY D. THOMPSON,
Mayor of Lowell.

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The O. M. T. Cadets will hold a meeting at 7.30 o'clock tonight. Business of importance will be transacted.

Inspector Hailey of the state highway commission examined 15 applicants for chauffeurs' licenses at city hall today.

A. E. Rountree of the local park commission is inspecting parks in the south where he is now traveling and has already seen some of the beauty spots of Palm beach, Key West and St. Augustine. He will not return until next month.

An alarm from box 119 at 10.56 o'clock this forenoon summoned a portion of the department to the building at the corner of Adams and Salem street, owned by Joseph Fay, for a rag fire in a closet of one of the tenements. There was no damage.

Word has been received in Lowell that Sergt. Frederick Bamford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bamford of 62 Main street, has been promoted to a second lieutenant. Sergt. Bamford left Camp Devens with the 76th division as a member of Co. C, 302nd Machine Gun battalion.

John Danford of 101 Westford street fell from the high steps of his home last evening at 11 o'clock and fractured a left rib. The accident occurred while Mr. Danford was trying to unlock his door. The ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital.

The ninth annual reunion and banquet of the Olney Chemical Alumni of the Lowell Textile school will be held Saturday, Feb. 15, at the Richardson hotel, Lowel, Mass. Lieut. Gustafson, a graduate of the school who has seen active service abroad, will be the speaker of the evening.

Hon David I. Walsh will come to Lowell next Sunday afternoon to address members of the Lowell branch of the League of Catholic Women in Associate hall at 3 o'clock. The former governor and present Senator-elect will speak on "Opportunity for Service." A capacity attendance is expected as the officers of the league are making provisions for relieving friends of the members as well as members themselves. Further details will be announced later.

PRIV. NORMAN ROSS HOME

A most enjoyable reception was held at the home of Mrs. Dora Ross in Royal street Wednesday evening upon the occasion of the home-coming of her son, Private Norman Ross from overseas following 10 months' service with the 55th C.A.C. Private Ross participated in the battle of the Marne, Ypres, St. Mihiel, the Argonne forest and the Meuse river. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with the national colors and a large "Welcome home" flag in the centre. There were enjoyable musical selections by Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Richards and Mrs. Richard Connell. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ross assisted by Mrs. W. Onnette, Mrs. A. Mallon and Mrs. Richards. The program was closed with a prayer led by Adjutant Clark of the Salvation Army and ringing of the national anthem by all present.

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NEWS OF THE DAY IN THE POLICE COURT

What seems to be fast becoming a standard alibi with the offenders whose cases are tried at the police court made its appearance again this morning when Joseph Karocka, who was charged with assault and battery on Thomas J. Nevins told Judge Fisher that he was so drunk that he didn't know whether he struck the complainant or not. This was Joe's sole defense, and he stuck to it throughout the trial.

Nevins, who is employed at the Massachusetts mills told the court that as he was going along Lakeview avenue last Saturday on his way home from work someone came up behind him and knocked him down with a well planted right hook to the side of the head. When he had struggled to his feet a woman who stood nearby told him that defendant, who was running from the scene at this time, was the man who had struck him. A witness of the affair corroborated Nevins' story with the result that Joe was found guilty and assessed $20 as a warning not to be quite so aggressive in the future.

Coat Larceny Case

Charles F. Lannon was charged with the larceny of a coat from William Bishop and entered a plea of not guilty. Bishop said that he was employed at the George L. Cady lumber yard and that last Saturday while at work he laid the coat down for a few moments. When he loked for the garment it was nowhere in sight and a little girl told him that she had seen four boys pick up the coat and run away with it.

Officer Kennedy, who arrested Lannon on a charge of trespassing a short time afterwards, testified that defendant had the coat in his possession at the time and that he had attempted to give it to another young man after being placed under arrest.

Lannon said that he had not stolen the coat, it had been stolen by another boy who had afterwards attempted to sell it to him for 50 cents. He had refused to buy it, he said, and had been merely trying it on when arrested, which accounted for his being found with it in his possession.

It was finally decided to continue the case until tomorrow morning when it is expected the three other young men will be present and give their version of the story.

Found Not Guilty

Joseph W. Martin was charged with a violation of the motor vehicle law. Edward F. Flynn, the complainant in the case, told the court that he was on his way to Billerica last Saturday night in his machine and that Martin, who was coming towards the city in a large truck collided with him and kept on his way without stopping to ascertain the amount of damage done. His machine was smashed to some extent and after a time Martin came back to the scene of the accident.

Martin's defence was that under the existing circumstances a collision was unavoidable and that it was no more his fault than Flynn's. He was found not guilty and the case dismissed.

Hard Working Man

"I'm a hard working man, Your Honor," said John Dudek to the court, "and I always feed my wife and my five kids every day. Why don't she go out and go to work if she isn't satisfied?" Thus, in answer to his better half's testimony that he spent too much money on drink and not enough on his family. She also said that when under the influence of liquor John usually became rough and pushed her around more or less. He was found guilty of drunkenness and given a suspended sentence of two months in jail.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

5-ROOM COTTAGE for rent. 19 Batchelder's place. Rent $11. Inquire on the premises.

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SALESMEN and agents to sell our teas and coffee, spices and extracts to our old customers on established routes on commission and salary. Write for our proposition and samples. C. L. Staples & Co., Dept. 21, Clinton, Iowa.

GIRL wanted to do light housework and help to care for children. Address J-99, Sun Office.

GOVERNMENT will hold railway mail clerk examinations, Lowell, March 15th. $92 month. Experience unnecessary. Men, 18 or over, desiring clerkships write for free particulars, Raymond Terry (former civil service examiner), Continental Building, Washington.

BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT

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Separate sealed bids will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses at City Hall on Friday, February 21, 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m., for

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Specifications may be seen at the office of the Building Department at City Hall or at the offices of the architects in the Hildreth Building.

A bond to the amount of 20% of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder as a guarantee that the contract will be completed in a manner satisfactory to the architect and the commissioner.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 12, 1919. The committee on public lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in House No. 350, recommendations of the board of gas and electric light commissioners; H. 351, relative to the members of municipal lighting; H. 352, relative to the dissolution of bonds of gas, electric and water companies; H. 353, relative to provision for depreciation by gas, electric and water companies; H. 354, relative to street lighting; H. 355, relative to the property rights of the charters of gas and electric companies; H. 356, relative to contracts between gas and electric companies; H. 357, to equalize the depletion of the resources of gas, electric and water companies; and H. 358, relative to the annual report of the board of gas and electric light commissioners, at Room No. 446, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 19, at 10.30 o'clock, a. m. John F. Beck, Chairman. William Plettner, Clerk of the Committee.
ALONZO B. COOK, Auditor.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Jeremiah J. Cleary, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Michael Leary of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.
JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Atty.
6-13-17

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John F. Markham, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to 15 Madison street, Lowell.

THOMAS J. MARKHAM, Adm.
Feb. 10, 1919.

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 590 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1908, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 491 of the Acts of 1909 and Chapter 171 of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 27227 on the Washington Savings Institution is lost or destroyed; payment has been stopped, and application has been made for payment of the amount.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Catherine Moloney, also called Kate Maloney, Kate Moloney and Katie Moloney, of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive.

Whereas, a petition for guardianship has been presented to said Court, by George M. Kline, Elmer A. Stevens, and Charles G. Dewey of the Massachusetts Commission on Mental Diseases, alleging that said Catherine Moloney is an insane person, and incapable of taking care of herself, and praying that Clarence L. Newton, of Newton, in said County, or some other suitable person, may be appointed her guardian, agreeably to the law in such case made and provided.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in and for said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

LOST AND FOUND

CAMEO STONE lost Thursday, Feb. 13. Finder please write G-46, Sun office.

TWO BROWN HANDBAGS lost Saturday evening, Feb. 8th, aboard the theatre train out of Boston. Bags first missed at Lowell. Finder notify Isaac Blaine Stevens, Nashua, N. H., and receive reward.

PAIR AMETHYST ROSARY BEADS lost Sunday morning between 15 Barrington st. and Sacred Heart church. Return to 15 Barrington st.

SPECIAL NOTICE

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BARN AND GARAGE to let. Apply 46 Waugh st.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping to let; 38 Fourth st., reasonable rent. Inquire 18 Fourth st.

BARN AND GARAGE to let. Apply 26 Waugh st.

LARGE FRONT ROOM to let, steam heat and electric light; also rooms for light housekeeping at 75 East Merrimack st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT bath and gas, $2.50 per week. 212 Chelmsford st. Inquire I. Silverblatt, 190 Chelmsford st. Tel. 1289-W.

STEAM-HEATED ROOMS with electricity. Prices $1.50 to $4. Big square rooms for couples. Prices $3 to $4, to let. Lane house, cor. Central and Church sts.

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9.30	10.55	2.15	3.15
11.13	11.50	2.50	3.43
12.15	1.08	4.00	4.44
1.47	2.53	4.05	5.27
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5.30	6.10	6.14	7.43
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7.12	8.25	5.14	6.13
9.50	11.01	6.55	8.20
		9.50	11.13

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.23	4.43
3.40	4.46	5.10	6.43
5.41	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.05		

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.45	7.30	8.45	9.53
7.22	8.10	9.30	10.11
8.25	9.35	1.00	2.08
9.19	10.12	5.30	6.23
10.20	11.17	7.15	8.20
2.52	3.35	8.00	8.44
5.08	6.00	8.30	9.13
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and declare love inspires art!

BY BETTY BROWN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—When two hearts beat as one, artistic creative ability is doubled. The actor, singer, painter or sculptor should call Cupid to aid if he or she would produce the best work.

I have found two artists here who believe that their artistic output has been doubled by their marriage. They are Louis Graveure, the well-known young baritone, and Eleanor Painter, the soprano who created a sensational success in "The Lilac Domino," and who is starring in the dramatic field as the singing heroine of "The Climax," and have been married three years.

"To say that artists should not marry is all wrong. Of all the people in the world, the artist is the one that is most in need of the help that strengthens and reassures," said Eleanor Painter.

"The peace of mind and assurance which comes from a happy marriage makes it possible for the artist to accomplish almost twice as much as before," said Louis Graveure.

"For the concert artist or actress whose engagements take them almost daily before the public, it is worse than deadly to have the sense of the sterility of life which every now and then accosts the average mortal," said Mrs. Graveure. "The artist, man or woman, must be forever creative—a self-starting dynamo."

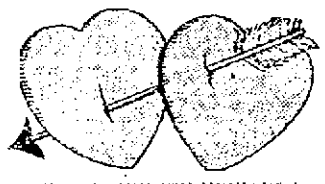
"Of course the creative artist, more than anyone else," she continued, "should be extremely careful whom she marries. The same holds good for the man.

"For instance, say that a prima donna marries a most estimable man, with many virtues, but with, let's say, an irritating way of breaking his eggs in the morning. According to every law of temperament, that prima donna's day will be utterly spoiled. You see, it is the little things as well as the big ones that count.

"But to say that artists should not marry is absurd. The creative mind is oftenest found in a simple, childlike nature, and such a person needs a companion, balancer, protector, anchor, adorer, lover—in short, the right husband. The reason I am so happy and so successful in my work is that in Mr. Graveure I have found just the right life-partner."

"Yes," broke in Mr. Graveure, "Eleanor is my inspiration. She is the one who kept after me until I wrote my book on singing methods; it is she who encourages me in my sculpture work; she is the first one to congratulate me upon any achievement—and although I do not believe in reading criticisms of my concert performance the morning after, my wife reads them and quotes the best of them to me. The peace of mind makes it possible for the artist to accomplish double work. As to the improved quality of the output, everybody knows that happiness always lends toward better work."

IMPORTED VALENTINES!



BY MARGUERITE EDWARDS

Real, live valentines from abroad!

No lace paper and Cupid missives—but honest-to-goodness sweethearts are these charming valentines that have already reached New York,—and more are coming on every home-bound troop transport!

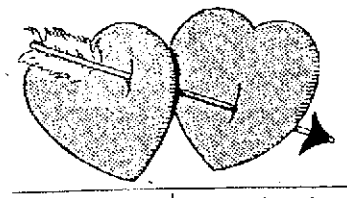
Yankee heroes selected these live valentines in London, "tucked them into their pockets" and brought them home for delivery on the family doorstep on or about February 14!

At the upper right is Lieut. E. F. Meister, of Buffalo, and his valentine, a former Essex girl. Lieut. Meister was an officer in the American medical corps and won his bride in a three months' courtship.

Below Cupid's Meister trophy are Lieutenant Carlos B. Stephens, of Chicago, and his bride, formerly Miss Elsie Gertrude Tooley, of London.

The choicest valentine of all is William Lewis, Jr., small cupid son of Private and Mrs. William Lewis, of New York. Lewis served in the British and American armies and wears the French croix de guerre and a British medal. Lewis met his wife when she nursed him in an English convalescent hospital.

At the lower left are Lieut. and Mrs. Roth. Lieut. Roth lives in Pontiac, Ill. His bride was Miss Mary Baines, of London.



RE-KINDLE LOVE'S FIRES ON ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

BY THE REV. CHARLES STELZE

Make St. Valentine's Day a time for rekindling the candles of love. There isn't another holiday on which this may be done more naturally.

You know it's just as easy to cut cookies heart shaped as round, and there's lots more fun doing it.

St. Valentine's Day may be made a happy day for everyone—young folks as well as old—but those who need the love-tokens which the day suggests more than anybody else are the middle-aged—those who are becoming pessimistic about life and love because they imagine they've fairly tried it all and been disappointed.

Say wife—suppose you put up the old-time valentine decorations. You know what and how. And if it doesn't start something, I'll be surprised. Maybe it will begin with a jolly from your husband—but hold your ground, and be a regular old-time "valentine girl." And say, husband—send her the finest valentine you can afford—and you'll be rewarded with a look in her eyes that will remind you of the days when you said "my dear" to her without batting an eyelash.

What a pity that you're both permitting embittered people to crowd love out of your lives!

St. Valentine's day will give you the chance to rekindle the flame that died down for lack of fuel.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

Letter Carriers Welcome Callers at Lowell Homes—Valentines From France

Lowell's letter carriers were burdened more than usual today and there seemed to be more than customary expectation when the doorbell tingled or the office boy divided up the morning mail among a number of anticipative souls. For today was Valentine's day.

Yes, sir, the postal men had extra work this morning and afternoon, and it was interesting to see how they went about it. That young fellow who recently passed the civil service exam and only a short time ago donned his postal uniform is stepping along in a happy, energetic stride. It is a pleasure for him to deliver valentines and he isn't bashful about showing it. The answer is that he's probably expecting one himself.

Then there is the older gentry of postmen. They've been doing "valentine duty" for, lo, these many years, and they have come to look on it in much the same mundane light that they foresee the coming of Christmas—only the added weight of their mail bags. Valentine day is an old story to them and as they give a blushing maid or sparkling-eyed boy in the eagerly awaited missive they grin sophisticatedly and wonder how long the person in question will continue to receive or send valentines. Cynics that they are, they give only a few years as a liberal estimate.

Valentine day is a day for youth and as such it was observed by Lowell young people today. The stores had an exceptionally pretty assortment of affectionate missives and the coarser kind were very rare. There was an unusually large display of dainty cards, lacy creations bearing verses of love and sentiment and other cards for young and old.

Some of the stores advocated the sending of dainty gifts in heart-shaped silver pieces and others showed handkerchiefs, gloves and neckwear as appropriate valentine gifts. Florists got up pretty combinations and even thrift stamps were advanced as wholly fitting exchange tokens.

From all appearances, Friend Weather Man didn't get a valentine or else it was delayed in transmission. He didn't smile at all today and so deep was his grief and disappointment at certain stages that he became lachrymose.

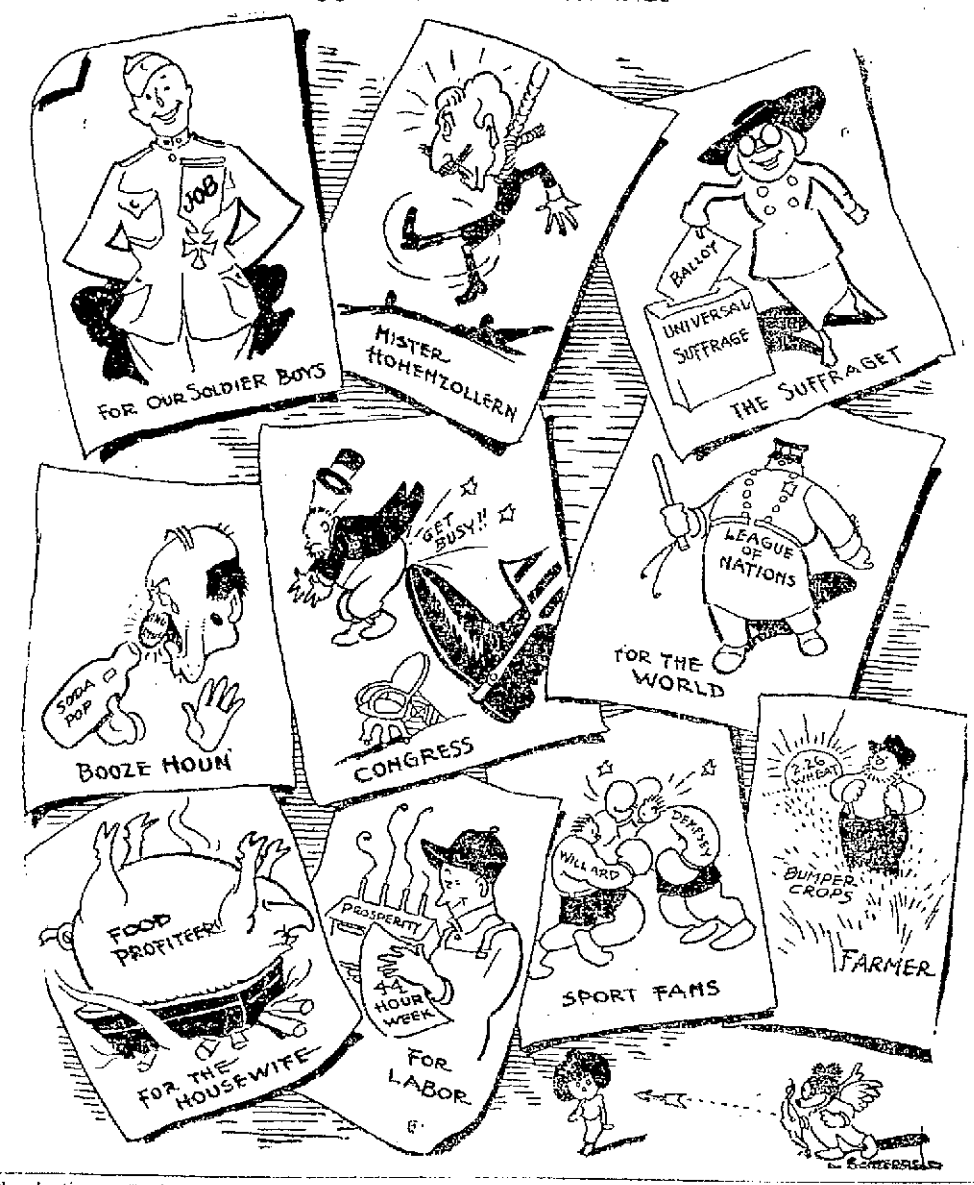
Perhaps some of the happiest valentines in the whole city to doting moth-

many a feminine heart.

A few of the schools, particularly the kindergarten and primary grades, had informal observances of the day incorporated as part of their regular school work but there was no special program.

Private parties were held in many homes last evening and designated as Valentine affairs, while others will be staged this evening.

SCRAMBLED VALENTINES



Bub's Valentine

TRANSCRIBED BY EDMUND VANCE COOKE

DEAR PA; -
UNLESS SOME ONE HAS WISED
YOU UP, I BET YOUL BE SERPRISED
TO GET THIS NOTE FROM ME, DISGISED
LIKE A REAL LETTER
PLEASE PRETEND
IT IS AND READ IT TO THE END
CAUSE ITS FROM ME AND IME YOUR FRIEND
PA, YESTERDAY WHEN YOU WAS CROSS
AND SED I WAS A TOTAL LOSS
AND NO SAIN MAN COULD STAND MY SOSS,
I FELT SO BAD I WENT OUTSIDE
AND ONE BOY SAID YOU WAS A SNIDE
AND YOU JUST BET I LAMMED HIS HIDE
PA SOMETIMES, IF YOU ONLY COULD
TALK TO ME MORE LIKE I WAS GOOD
I BELEEVE I DE TRY TO BE AND WOULD.
SOMETIMES I WISH THAT YOU COULD SEE
IM JUST LIKE WHAT I USET TO BE
CAUSE THEN YOUD TAKE ME ON YOUR KNEE
LIKE YOU DO SISTER YET, THOUGH SHE
IS LONGER IN THE LEGS THAN ME
I BET YOUL THINK I GOT A PINE,
BUT PA THIS IS A VALENTINE
BECAUSE I WANT YOU TO BE MINE
YOURS TRULY
{I DONT NEED TO SIGN}

ADVANCED SPRING SHOWING OF

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Help Bring About the League of Nations

To show that the American people are behind a League of Nations, subscribe to the League to Enforce Peace and the League of Free Nations Association, for which William Howard Taft and others are speaking.

Make out a check for any amount you wish to give to help the publicity and to show that you want the president and the peace committee to be backed up and send it to Mr. Harvey S. Chase, 84 State street, Boston, Mass.

FOR THE NEAR EAST RELIEF FUND

Team reports next Monday noon at Memorial hall.

Who has "I'm-thru-enza?" Better get cured quick. We have much to do yet and must do it. No one can say "I'm through" yet.

The Armenians and those in the Near East cannot be left to perish. We have a right to be thankful, but we ought to show it by helping others and here is a cause we are all asked to help and all must help to put Lowell "over the top."

Make checks payable to W. W. Cleworth, Treasurer, and hand in for your parish team.

THE WEATHER

—Rain tonight and probably Saturday; not much change in temperature.

THE LOWELL SUN

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Text of League of Nations Charter Read at Peace Conference by Pres. Wilson

PARIS, Feb. 14.—At the plenary session of the preliminary peace conference this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, at the Quay d'Orsay, President Wilson, as chairman of the commission on the league of nations, read and explained the following report:

COVENANT

Preamble—In order to promote international co-operation and to secure international peace and security by the acceptance of obligations not to resort to war, by the prescription of opinion, just and honorable relations between nations, by the firm establishment of the understandings of the international law as the actual rule of conduct among governments, and by the maintenance of justice and a scrupulous respect for all treaty obligations in the dealings of organized people with one another, the powers signatory to this covenant adopt this constitution of the league of nations:

Article I. The action of the high contracting parties under the terms of this covenant shall be effected through the instrumentality of a meeting of a body of delegates representing the high contracting parties, of meetings at more frequent intervals of an executive council, and of a permanent international secretariat to be established at the seat of the league.

Article II. Meetings of the body of delegates shall be held at stated intervals and from time to time as occasion may require for the purpose of dealing with matters within the sphere of action of the league. Meetings of the body of delegates shall be held at the seat of the league or at such other places as may be found convenient and shall consist of representatives of the high contracting parties. Each of the high contracting parties shall have one vote, but may have not more than three representatives.

Article III. The executive council shall consist of representatives of the United States of America, the British empire, France, Italy and Japan, together with representatives of four other states, members of the league. The selection of these four states shall be made by the body of delegates on such principles and in such manner as they think fit. Pending the appointments of these representatives of the other states, representatives of (blank left for names) shall be members of the executive council. Meetings of the council shall be held from time to time as occasion may require and at least once a year at whatever place may be decided on, or failing any such decision at the seat of the league, and any matter within the sphere of action of the league or affecting the peace of the world may be dealt with at such meetings. Invitations shall be sent to any power to attend a meeting of the council at which such matters directly affecting its interests are to be discussed and no decision taken at any meeting will be binding on such powers unless so invited.

Article IV. All matters of procedure at meetings of the body of delegates or the executive council including the appointment of committees to investigate particular matters shall be regulated by the body of delegates or the executive council and may be decided by a majority of the states represented at the meetings. The first meeting of the body of delegates and of the executive council shall be summoned by the president of the United States of America.

Article V. The permanent secretariat of the league shall be established at (blank) which shall constitute the seat of the league. The secretariat shall comprise such secretaries and staff as may be required, under the general direction and control of a secretary-general of the league, who shall be chosen by the executive council; the secretariat shall be appointed by the general secretary subject to confirmation by the executive council. The secretary-general shall act in that capacity at all meetings of the body of delegates or of the executive council. The expenses of the secretariat shall be borne by the states members of the league in accordance with the apportionment of the expenses of the international bureau of the universal postal union.

Article VI. Representatives of the high contracting parties and officials of the league when engaged in the business of the league, shall enjoy diplomatic privileges and immunities and the buildings occupied by the league or its officials, or by representatives attending its meetings shall enjoy the benefits of extra-territoriality.

Article VII. Admission to the league of states not signatories to the covenant and not named in the protocol hereto as states to be invited to adhere to the covenant requires the assent of not less than two-thirds of the states represented in the body of delegates, and shall be limited to fully self-governing countries including dominions and colonies. No state shall be admitted to the league unless it is able to give effective guarantees of its sincere intention to observe its international obligations and unless it shall conform to such principles as may be prescribed by the league in regard to its naval and military forces and armaments.

Article VIII. The high contracting parties recognize the principle that the maintenance of peace will require the reduction of national armaments to the lowest point consistent with national safety and the enforcement by common action of international obligations having special regard to the geographical situation and the circumstances of each state; and the executive council shall formulate plans for effecting such reduction. The executive council shall also determine for the consideration and action of the several governments what military equipment and armament is fair and reasonable in proportion to the scale of forces laid down in the program of disarmament; and these limits when adopted, shall not be exceeded without the permission of the executive council. The high contracting parties agree that the manufacture by private enterprises of munitions and implements of war lends itself to grave objections, and direct the executive council to advise how the evil effects attendant upon such manufacture can be prevented, due regard being had to the necessities of those countries which are not able to manufacture for themselves the munitions and implements of war necessary for their safety. The high contracting parties undertake no way to conceal from each other the condition of such of their industries as are capable of being adapted toward like purposes or the scale of their armaments and agree that there shall be full and frank interchange of information as to their military and naval programs.

Article IX. A permanent commission shall be constituted to advise the league on the execution of the provisions of Article VIII and on military and naval questions generally.

Article X. The high contracting parties shall undertake to respect and preserve as against external aggression, the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all states members of the league. In case of any such aggression or in case of any threat or danger of such aggression the executive council shall advise upon the means by which the obligation shall be fulfilled.

Article XI. Any war or threat of war, whether immediately affecting any of the high contracting parties or not, is hereby declared a matter of concern to the league, and the high contracting parties reserve the right to take any action that may be deemed wise and effectual to safeguard the peace of nations. It is hereby also declared and agreed to be the friendly right of each of the high contracting parties to draw the attention of the body of delegates or of the executive council to any circumstance affecting international intercourse which threatens to disturb international peace or the good understanding between nations upon which peace depends.

Article XII. The high contracting parties agree that should disputes arise between them which cannot be adjusted by the ordinary processes of diplomacy, they will in no case resort to war without previously submitting the questions and matters involved either to arbitration or to inquiry by the executive council and until three months after the award by the arbitrators or a recommendation by the executive council; and that they will not even resort to war as against a member of the league which complies with the award of the arbitrators or the recommendation of the executive council. In any case under this article, the award of the arbitrators shall be made within a reasonable time and the recommendation of the executive council shall be made within six months after the submission of the dispute.

Article XIII. The high contracting parties agree that whenever any dispute or difficulty shall arise between them which they recognize to be suitable for submission to arbitration and which cannot be satisfactorily settled by diplomacy, they will submit the whole matter to arbitration. For this purpose the court of arbitration to which the case is referred shall be the court agreed on by the parties or stipulated in any convention existing between them. The high contracting parties agree that they will carry out in full good faith any award that may be rendered. In the event of any failure to carry out the award, the executive council shall propose what steps can best be taken to give effect thereto.

Article XIV. The executive council shall formulate plans for the establishment of a permanent court of international justice and this court shall, when established, be competent to hear and determine any matter which the parties recognize as suitable for submission to it for arbitration under the foregoing article.

Article XV. If there should arise between states members of the league any dispute likely to lead to rupture, which is not submitted to arbitration as above, the high contracting parties agree that they will refer the matter to the executive council; either party to the dispute may give notice of the existence of the dispute to the secretary-general, who will make all necessary arrangements for a full investigation and consideration thereof. For this purpose the parties agree to communicate to the secretary-general as promptly as possible, statements of their case with all the relevant facts and papers, and the executive council may forthwith direct the publication thereof.

Article XVI. Should any of the high contracting parties break or disregard its covenants under Article XII, it shall thereby ipso facto be deemed to have committed an act of war against all the other members of the league, which hereby undertakes immediately to subject it to the severance of all trade or financial relations, the prohibition of all intercourse between their nationals and the nationals of the covenant-breaking state, and the prevention of all financial, commercial or personal intercourse between the nationals of the covenant-breaking state and the nationals of any other states whether a member of the league or not. It shall be the duty of the executive council in such case to recommend what effective military or naval force the members of the league shall severally contribute to the armed forces to be used to protect the covenants of the league. The high contracting parties agree, further, that they will mutually support one another in the financial and economic measures which may be taken under this article, in order to minimize the loss and inconvenience resulting from the above measures, and that they will mutually support one another in resisting any special measures aimed at one of their number by the covenant-breaking state, and that they will afford passage through their territory to the forces of any of the high contracting parties who are co-operating to protect the covenants of the league.

Article XVII. In the event of disputes between one state member of the league and another state which is not a member of the league, or between states not members of the league, the high contracting parties agree that the state or states not members of the league shall be invited to accept the obligations of membership in the league for the purpose of such dispute, upon such conditions as the executive council may deem just, and upon acceptance of any such invitation, the above provisions shall be applied with such modifications as may be deemed necessary by the league. Upon such invitation being given, the executive council shall immediately institute an inquiry into the circumstances and merits of the dispute and recommend such action as may seem best and most effectual in the circumstances. In the event of a power so invited refusing to accept the obligations of membership in the league for the purpose of such dispute, and taking any action against a state member of the league which in the case of a state member of the league would constitute a breach of Article XII, the provisions of Article XVI shall be applicable as against the state taking such action. If both parties to the dispute when so invited refuse to accept the obligations of membership in the league for the purpose of such dispute, the executive council may take such action and make such recommendations as will prevent hostilities and will result in the settlement of the dispute.

Article XVIII. The high contracting parties agree that the league shall be entrusted with general supervision of the trade in arms and ammunition with the countries in which the control of this traffic is necessary in the common interest.

Article XIX. To those colonies and territories which as a consequence of the late war have ceased to be under the sovereignty of the states which formerly governed them and which are inhabited by peoples not yet able to stand by themselves under the strenuous conditions of the modern world, there should be applied the principle that the well-being and development of such peoples form a sacred trust of civilization and that securities for the performance of this trust should be embodied in the constitution of the league. The best method of giving practical effect to this principle is that the tutelage of such peoples should be entrusted to advanced nations who by reason of their resources, their experience or their geographical position, can best undertake this responsibility, and that tutelage should be exercised by them as mandatories on behalf of the league. The character of the mandate must differ according to the stage of the development of the people, the geographical situation of the territory, its economic conditions and other similar circumstances. Certain communities formerly belonging to the Turkish empire have reached a stage of development where their existence as independent nations can be provisionally recognized subject to the rendering of administrative advice and assistance by a mandatory power until such time as they are able to stand alone. The wishes of these communities must be a principal consideration in the selection of the mandatory power. Other peoples, especially those of Central Africa, are at such a stage that the mandatory must be responsible for the administration of the territory subject to conditions which will guarantee freedom of conscience or religion, subject only to the maintenance of public order and morals, the prohibition of abuses such as the slave trade, the arms traffic and the liquor traffic, and the prevention of the establishment of fortifications or military and naval bases and of military training of the natives for other than police purposes and the defense of territory and will also secure equal opportunities for the trade and commerce of other members of the league. There are territories, such as southwest Africa and certain of the South Pacific isles, which, owing to the sparseness of their population or their small size, or their remoteness from the centers of civilization or their geographical continuity to the mandatory state, and other circumstances can be best administered under the laws of the mandatory state as integral portions thereof, subject to the safeguards above mentioned in the interests of the indigenous population. In every case of mandate, the mandatory state shall render to the league an annual report in reference to the territory committed to its charge. The degree of authority, control, or administration to be exercised by the mandatory state shall, if not previously agreed upon by the high contracting parties in each case, be explicitly defined by the executive council in a special act or charter. The high contracting parties further agree to establish at the seat of the league a mandatory commission to receive and examine the annual reports of the mandatory powers, and to assist the league in ensuring the observance of the terms of all mandates.

Article XX. The high contracting parties will endeavor to secure and maintain fair and humane conditions of labor for men, women and children both in their own countries and in all countries to which their commercial and industrial relations extend, and to that end agree to establish as part of the organization of the league a permanent bureau of labor.

Article XXI. The high contracting parties agree that provision shall be through the instrumentality of the league to secure and maintain freedom of transit and equitable treatment for the commerce of all states members of the league, having in mind, among other things, special arrangements with regard to the necessities of the regions devastated during the war of 1914-1918.

Article XXII. The high contracting parties agree to place under the control of the league, international bureaus already established by general treaties if the parties to such treaties consent. Furthermore, they agree that all such bureaus to be constituted in future shall be placed under the control of the league.

Article XXIII. The high contracting parties agree that every treaty or international engagement entered into hereafter by any state member of the league, shall be forthwith registered with the secretary-general as soon as possible published by him, and that no such treaty or international engagement shall be binding until so registered.

Article XXIV. It shall be the right of the body of delegates from time to time to advise the reconsideration by states members of the league of treaties which have become inapplicable and of international conditions of which the continuance may endanger the peace of the world.

Article XXV. The high contracting parties severally agree that the present covenant is accepted as abrogating all obligations inter se which are inconsistent with the terms thereof; and solemnly engage that they will not hereafter enter into any engagements inconsistent with the terms thereof. In case any of the powers signatory hereto or subsequently admitted to the league shall, before becoming a party to this covenant, have undertaken any obligations which are inconsistent with the terms of this covenant, it shall be the duty of such power to take immediate steps to procure its release from such obligations.

Article XXVI. Amendments to this covenant will take effect when ratified by the states whose representatives compose the executive council and by three-fourths of the states whose representatives compose the body of delegates.

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"FALSE DEMOCRACY" IS SCORED BY LOWDEN

BOSTON, Feb. 14—Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois addressed the members of the Massachusetts house of representatives yesterday afternoon. He was accompanied to the house chamber by Gov. Coolidge.

In praising Massachusetts for its democracy he condemned the "false democracy" which gives a "despotic majority power to usurp the rights of the minority. He assailed the "democracy brought from Russia" and said our soldiers will "fight the mob" as truly as they fought against Germany. Gov. Lowden complimented the legislature on the spirit of co-operation among the two branches.

The house voted to refer to the next legislature the petition of Franklin P. Roundy for an investigation by the public service commission as to the neglect of the Boston Elevated Railway Co. to comply with the order of the commission to extend its tracks in Broadway, formerly Pleasant street, in Boston. Similar action was taken on the petition of Francis J. W. Ford for an investigation of the coal business in Boston.

Palestine Resolution

Without debate or opposition, the house adopted the resolutions in favor of the Jewish state in Palestine and for an appropriation by congress for six months' additional salary for soldiers discharged from service.

John R. Hudson petitioned that cities and towns be authorized to appropriate money for additional compensation for their citizens who served in the European war.

Committee reports:

Military affairs—Bill to advance the rank of James P. Clare from major to colonel; advancing the rank of the adjutant general from lieutenant colonel to that of brigadier general; resolution favoring an early discharge from the United States army of all soldiers, except those in the regular army, who desire to be discharged; bill to allow four cents a mill each way for travel by members of the militia by the most direct route of railroad transportation; an appropriation of $2143 to the New Haven railroad for transportation of men of the Massachusetts state guard to encampments in 1916.

Insurance—Bill to provide that agents or brokers who make contracts of insurance shall be regarded as agents of the company, no matter what is said in the contract or policy.

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SCHOOL BOARD GRANTS SALARY INCREASES

More increases in salaries were granted by the school committee to a number of school officials at a meeting of the committee late yesterday afternoon. Those affected and the salary which they will receive under the new schedule are as follows:

Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent, $3500; Herbert D. Bixby, headmaster of the high school, $2500, William F. Thornton, head attendance officer, $2000; John J. Walker, attendance officer, $1550; Camile Roussin, attendance officer, $1450; Henry L. Williams, attendance officer and supply agent, $2000; Frederick Johnson, clerk in the supply department, $1047; Fanny A. Thompson, clerk in the superintendent's office, $1100.

The increases were voted unanimously. Dr. William R. Thompson, although not present at the meeting, requested that he be recorded as voting in the affirmative.

It was voted to continue the Americanization classes in the schools during the week of Feb. 21 despite the fact that the regular evening school classes will enjoy a vacation during that week.

Instructions were issued to the superintendent to advertise a hearing to be given residents of the Highlands Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, at 5 o'clock, as a result of their petitions for a new school house.

Resignations of the following teachers were accepted and a vote of thanks for faithful service extended: James F. Peebles, vocational school; Agnes Bailey, Varnum school; Mrs. Susan Griffin O'Brien, Washington school; Mrs. Frances Noonan McKinley, Moody school.

THE VALENTINE CLUB

The Valentine club held forth at Lincoln hall last evening in its annual social and dance and over 200 couples were on hand to share in the festivities. A feature of the event was the prize waltz, in which a cash prize was the award. It was won by Frank McGlinchey and Miss Hazel Miner. The judges were Patrick Daly and Frank McLaughlin.

The officers of the dance were: General manager, Robert Cassidy; assistant, Jack Gleason; floor director, Thomas Carmody; assistant, Patrick Conway; chief aid, Joseph Carmody, and treasurer, Joseph Markham. Markham's orchestra furnished the dance music for the evening.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Take the kiddies down to the Keith theatre Saturday afternoon and give them the chance to ride the Shetland ponies there. The ponies are pretty and tractable and every child who presents herself after the performance will be given the opportunity to ride a few if seems to be on the back of the little horses. This act is one of surpassing beauty, and not only are there live ponies in it, but also there are people who do a circus act of much merit, which provides a grandstand finish to the act. A monkey and a collie dog are also used to advantage.

The bill as a whole has many laughable features. "Morning Glory," a very attractive little comedy, is presented by Noel Travers and Irene Douglas. They are players who have come from the legitimate stage and their efforts are, therefore, all the more those of seasoned performers. The little play has many good points. A coherent story is told and there is good comedy sifting in now and then.

Frank Orth and Anne Cody offer the act called "Let's Take a Walk." It is an old idea brought up to date and made thoroughly amusing. There have been many entertainers who employed this medium of funmaking, but few of them have done so with so great a measure of success.

The Three Tivoli Girls are singers, who array themselves in the costumes of Italy. (Two of them are Italians.) They give a variety of good numbers. Fred Allen is trying to get along. He invites applause at every turn, and gets a lot of it. Fred is funny to look at, and he is funny to see in action. Holland and Ray talk and dance, and Claire and Atwood are acrobatic funmakers.

A film play with lots of comedy touches, and the Pathe News Pictorial are also to be found on the bill. All in all it is a well balanced show.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Mystery and suspense are two of the greatest elements in "The Unknown Voice," which is being presented this week at the Lowell Opera House by the Emerson All Star Players. Seldom does a play move through three acts before the audience is "let in on" the solution to a murder mystery. During the progress of the piece the finger of suspicion points to many of the characters, and one is in a quandary as to who is the guilty person. You eventually find out, but not until the very close of the last act. See it and enjoy it. Next week "The Wife He Bought," a story of a girl who was sold to save her father, will be presented.

THE STRAND

"For Freedom," the latest screen feature in which William Farnum is appearing at the Strand, touches on the great war, but is based more on the miscarriage of justice and the right of a convict to a "square deal." The story is that of a man falsely accused and imprisoned, who at the outbreak of the war wins a parole that he may be permitted to fight for his country. How he makes good is told in a wonderfully interesting manner. "The Temple of Duck," in which Sessue Hayakawa, the great Japanese star, is featured, is another one of those superior kind of film offerings. It's one of this star's greatest picture efforts. The remainder of the bill is rounded out by a varied assortment of screen creations, including the Universal Weekly.

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FAREWELL BANQUET

Overseer Clark Chrysler, the popular and efficient foreman of the loading department of the United States Cartridge Co., was given a farewell banquet at the Market street plant last evening, and a large gathering of friends and employes were on hand for the occasion. Supt. Gerald Cahill made a few brief remarks on the efficiency of the loading department under Mr. Chrysler's effective leadership, and this was followed by several pleasing selections by the Fixer's quartet. Dancing and games were a feature of the evening's festivities and Mr. Chrysler was given three cheers and a tiger after he had responded to his insistent admirers and in a few well chosen words paid a tribute to their loyalty and good fellowship during the time they had worked together in the interest of Uncle Sam. The success of the affair was due to the untiring efforts of the following committee: Mrs. Racheal Campbell, Miss Loretta Carney, Mrs. Charles N. Taylor, Clarence Kleare, Charles Taylor and John Pender.

MEN'S CLUB OF THE GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH HEAR JOHN F. SALMON

John F. Salmon, Knights of Columbus overseas secretary, spoke last evening before the Men's club of the Grace Universalist church, of his work among the soldiers in France. Always interesting, Secretary Salmon told an absorbing story of his adventures and kept the attention of his audience for more than an hour.

Supper was served at 6 o'clock, followed by a short business meeting and social hour. Mr. Salmon told of his experiences during air raids on Paris, when he was pitched through an open window by the explosion of a bomb.

After describing conditions at Bordeaux, one of the receiving points at which the American doughboys were pouring into France, he devoted the greater part of his talk to the scenes and experiences up at the front line trenches, the drive at the Meuse, St. Mihiel, Verdun and other places. He told of meeting several of the Lowell boys "over there." In closing he made a plea for the returning soldiers from over seas. The speaker told what pleasure it gave him while he was in Paris to be approached by another American and greeted, and what great disappointment it was to be passed up by those whom he knew were from this country. The same rule applies right here at home, he said. "Go out of your way occasionally to make the returning soldier feel that his efforts over there have been appreciated," said Mr. Salmon. "And if by chance he might overstep the bounds of propriety, forgive him. He's entitled to it."

Felton L. Moody, president of the club, and several of the members acted as a committee on arrangements.

UNIVERSAL CLUB DANCE

Hibernian hall was a bower of beauty last evening, the occasion being the third annual dance of the Universal club and nearly 200 couples turned out for the event. Broderick's orchestra furnished the music and an enjoyable time was had by all present. The officers of the dance were: General manager, Thomas Nevin; assistant, Daniel Kiley, floor director, Jack Gash; assistant, Daniel McNabb and chief aid, Philip Farrell.

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S.T.C. CLUB DANCE

One of the most successful dancing parties of the year was held last evening by the S.T.C. club, the occasion being the first annual social and dance by this popular organization. St. Anne's parish house was the setting chosen for the festivities, and the large crowd tripped the light fantastic until a late hour, with Dunfey's novelty orchestra furnishing the music. The officers in charge were: General manager, William Heller; assistant general manager, Miss Clara Dainton; floor director, Miss Eleanor Pope, and chief aid, Miss Humphries.

LENOX ORCHESTRA DANCE

The Lenox orchestra of Boston held forth at Associate hall last evening, and as usual, a large crowd of merrymakers were on hand for the occasion. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

Had Nervous Indigestion

This Springfield Woman Found Speedy Relief When She Used the Tonic Treatment

There are more ways than one of wasting food. Sufferers from stomach trouble, such as dyspepsia and nervous indigestion, are food wasters as much as the housewife who throws away half-consumed portions of food. When the food is taken into the stomach and ferments, causing acute distress, that food is worse than wasted and it were better for the comfort of the victim if it hadn't been eaten.

The blood must be healthy if the processes of digestion are to take place naturally. Good blood carries the nourishment from the food to all parts of the body building up nerve and muscle. If the blood is thin and weak the nerves are starved and revolt. When the nerves of the stomach rebel the digestive processes are upset, gas forms, sleeplessness and weakness are almost a direct consequence and severe headaches occur frequently.

The value of building up the blood in cases of nervous indigestion is illustrated in the case of Mrs. S. Lewis of 166 College street, Springfield, Mass. She says:

"I had nervous indigestion for about four years. I first noticed that I was losing flesh and felt miserable much of the time. I had severe nervous spells. I suffered from pain after eating, especially in my left side. I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills recommended in the papers and gave them a trial. I noticed improvement while I was taking the first box and took four boxes altogether. I can truthfully say that the pills have certainly helped my stomach and that I feel better than I have in a long time and shall use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills whenever I need a tonic."

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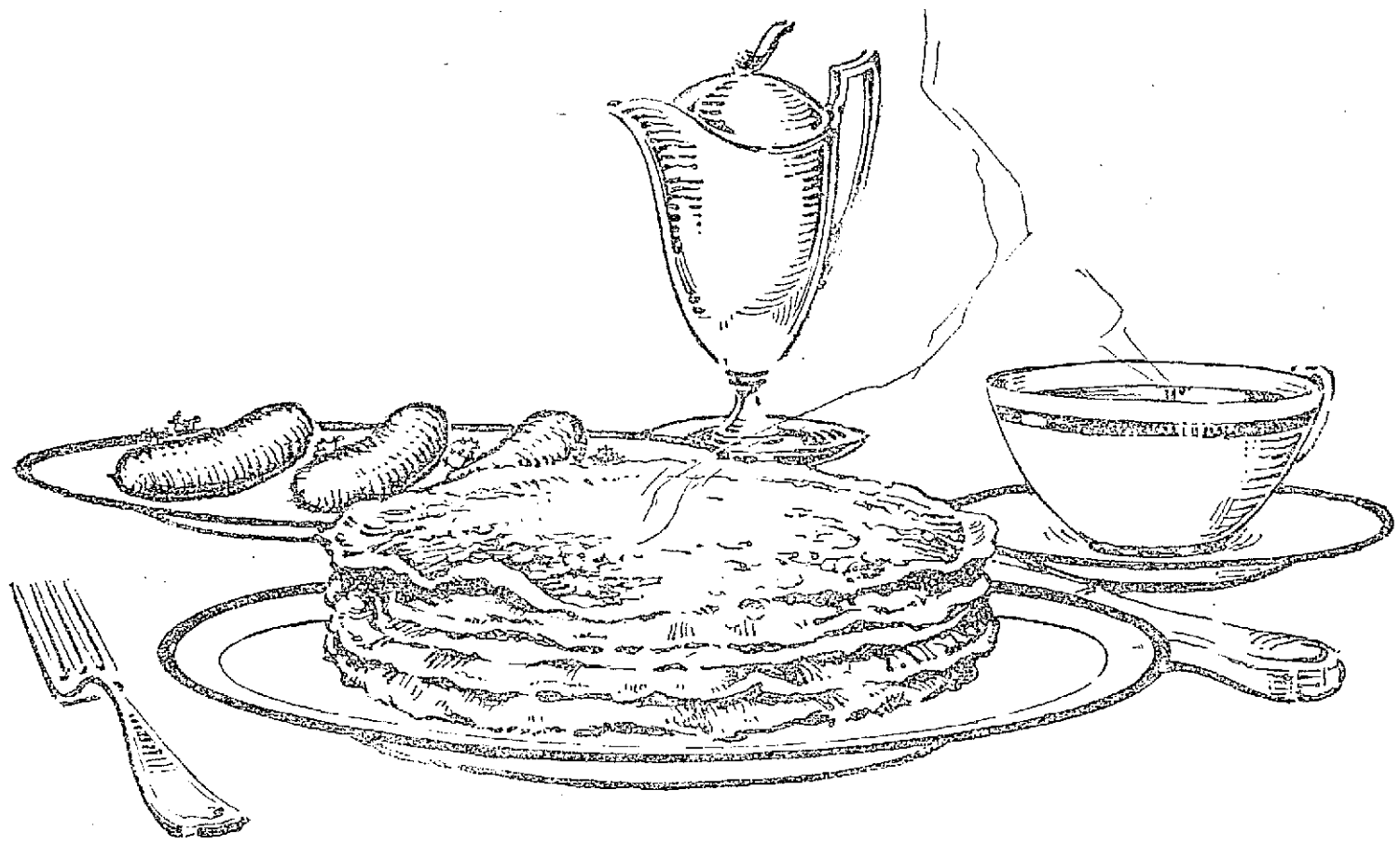

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ARRESTED FOR MURDER OF BOSTON OFFICER

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—John Dillon was arrested in Somerville today charged with the murder of Charles E. Deininger, a Boston police officer, who was shot last night while endeavoring to arrest several alleged automobile thieves in Chelsea.

Patrolman Deininger of the Hanover st. police station was fatally shot, and John Donnelly, Spring ave., Revere, a sailor, was shot in the leg, in front of a garage at 14 Winthrop road, Chelsea, about 8 last evening, where Deininger in company with Reserve Officer William J. Shea, also of the Hanover street station, had gone in search of a light automobile alleged to have been stolen from Hanover street about 6 o'clock.

The shooting was done by a man wearing a fur coat, who had driven up to the garage in a big gray touring car containing two other men. Following the shooting this car sped away and the men escaped.

Late last night the police of Revere took into custody James Colonna, a chauffeur, as he pulled his automobile into a garage in that city. It is alleged he drove three men in his car from Bowdoin square earlier in the evening and the police say his car corresponds with the description furnished them of the car that contained the gunmen.

Found Stolen Auto

Deininger had been a member of the Boston police department for about 16 years, nearly all of which time he was connected with the Hanover street station. He had previously been a Boston fireman. He was one of the best-liked men at the station and frequently had been called upon to perform special work. His home was at 99 Amherst street, Roslindale.

Deininger and Shea were directed to go to Chelsea to ascertain the whereabouts of the stolen automobile, and it is claimed they located it in the Winthrop Road garage.

Believing that the thieves would return, the officers set a watch upon the place and it was while they were so engaged, in company with officers of the Chelsea department, that the big gray touring car with three men in it, drove up.

Just what words passed is not known but it is stated that shots were fired, one of them striking Deininger in the head and causing him to fall to the street. A second shot struck Donnelly, the sailor, who was passing.

It is said the gray car was driven off in the direction of Revere.

Deininger Dies at Hospital

Deininger and Donnelly were sent to the Frost hospital, where the former died within a short time. Donnelly's wound is not serious.

The trail of the gray car was taken up by the Chelsea police, and the Revere police were asked to assist. More than two hours later it is said that a gray car was found in a garage in that city, and as a result of inquiries Colonna was taken to the Revere police station on suspicion and questioned.

Colonna, it is said, runs an automobile from Bowdoin square, and the police charge that the men concerned in the shooting boarded an automobile at that point.

The police of this city, Chelsea and Revere are busy searching for the three occupants of the car.

FOUR CORNERS TO THIS AFFAIR

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Columbia, Pennsylvania, Dartmouth and Cornell are to form a four-cornered athletic association acording to a report which was current today. Lovering Tyson, graduate manager of athletics at Columbia, while refusing to discuss the proposed organization, would neither affirm or deny the report.

"I can say nothing at this time," said Mr. Tyson at his office at Columbia, "and if any statement is made it will have to come from a source other than myself."

The objects of the association, according to the report, are to promote relations in football, baseball and track athletics. One of the proposals is for interlocking schedules in baseball and for a four-cornered track and field meet in May.

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GARRISON FINISH GIVES LOWELL VICTORY

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Lowell	38	27	58.5
Salem	35	27	56.5
Providence	33	31	51.6
Worcester	28	32	46.7
New Bedford	29	32	47.5
Lawrence	23	37	38.3

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Salem 6, Worcester 1.
Lowell 6, Providence 5.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

Lawrence at Lowell.
Salem at New Bedford.
Worcester at Providence.

In a garrison finish that brought the fans to their feet, Lowell came to the front and won from Providence in a fast, clean and stubbornly fought game of polo at the Crescent rink last night. The score was 6 to 5.

Fans realizing that games between these two teams are always of the classy order came prepared for a hard struggle and none went away disappointed. Harris Doherty, who has halfbacking down to perfection, always gives the Lowell offensive men considerable trouble, and he was right in his element last night, and put up as good a blocking exhibition as one would care to see. Lovegreen at goal for the visitors had a banner night, and his remarkable kicking abilities were greatly responsible for keeping Lowell's score down.

The Gold Bugs got the jump, as after Hart had opened with a goal for Lowell, Thompson and Williams each scored two, and just before the period ended, Hart jammed through another for Lowell. With the score four to two against us, it looked rather bad, but watch the famous Hart-Harkins-Griffith combination get busy in the second session. It was "good night" for the Gold Bugs. Hart drove in three for Lowell, putting the Harkins crew in front, not just before the period ended Thompson came through with one that tied the count.

With the score five all as the final period opened, the fans yelled hard for Lowell to count. Their appeals were soon answered, for Hart tallied with his sixth of the night. This was the final goal of the game, but both teams played strenuously to increase their scores, but the goal tenders were in rare form and prevented further scoring.

Hart's driving, Harkins' feeding, Griffith's covering of Williams and Thompson with Asquith's blocking, proved too strong a combination for the cream dancers, but the game was a battle all the way and the large crowd voiced its approval many times during the evening. The score:

LOWELL.		PROVIDENCE
Hart, r		r, Williams
Harkins, 3r		3r, Thompson
Griffith, c		c, Muirhead
Asquith, b		b, Doherty
Pence, 2		2, Lovegreen

FIRST PERIOD

Won by	Caged by	Time
Lowell	Hart	.10
Providence	Thompson	2.55
Providence	Williams	1.06
Providence	Williams	5.50
Providence	Thompson	1.15
Lowell	Hart	2.05

SECOND PERIOD

Lowell	Hart	1.05
Lowell	Hart	2.15
Lowell	Hart	1.20
Providence	Thompson	2.25

THIRD PERIOD

Lowell	Hart	1.15

Summary. Score. Lowell 6, Providence 5. Rushes: Hart 5, Williams 3. Stops: Pence 47, Lovegreen 71. Referee: Graham. Timer: Sullivan.

POLO NOTES

The Lawrence team, composed of Captain Hardy, Blount, Harrold, Fahrner and Quigley, the latter recently imported from the west, will play Lowell at the Crescent rink tonight and a red hot game is expected. This will mark the first appearance of Quigley in Lowell and fans are anxious to give the whirlwind the once over. Lawrence papers and fans say he's "the goods," and they feel confident that the team will make a garrison finish.

Lawrence last year made a bad start, but following the acquisition of "Big Fred" Jean, the team went like a house afire and in the final weeks of the season the down river aggregation made them all sit up and take notice. The team experienced the same difficulty in getting started this year, but now it is thought that a winning combination has been assembled, and from now on our "rivals" expect to be in the hunt.

That game between Salem and an All Star aggregation composed of Red Williams, Harkins, Higgins, Griffith, Doherty and Conley should be some scrap. We don't know who picked the "All Stars," but who ever did the job did it's work well. While All-Star organizations have often gone down to defeat, we feel that if the other members play the game as Harkins and Griffith play it, the Salem club will be on the short end of the score.

The Worcester Telegram pays a fine tribute to "Bob" Griffith, Lowell's star centre, for his great work in stopping "Mickey" Higgins the other night. It says: "There was not any question of the merit of the Lowell victory. The champions outplayed the Worcesters in every department. If there was one player more than another in which the difference was manifest, it was in the struggle between Griffith and Higgins. For many a year they have fought it out with varying successes, the centre being the only defense man credited with a speed sufficient to block Higgins.

"It was all Griffith last night. There have been battles between them in other games this season, in which Higgins evaded his opponent and made plays for the cages, but never it was the other way. Griffith stopped Higgins every time he came up the floor. The rusher sometimes tried to get the ball past, meaning to let Slater slip it back to him, after he got by Griffith. The plan didn't work, for the very simple reason that he did not get by Griffith. The capable Lowell centre jammed the same length that Higgins did, when the latter tried to get past. The center found his bailiwick equipment in front of him. The ball was thus of little value to Worcester.

"It was rendered of even less value by the excellent defensive game that Asquith played. The light halfback rendered Slater's work ineffective. He either interfered with Slater's handling of the ball or shoved the rusher into the side of the rink and tied him up there."

It now looks as if "Bob" Hart will again set the pace for the goal getters this week. Hart and Harkins have perfected a combination that has been all stopped. Harkins does the "feeding" and Hart the driving, both are experts, and consequently, when the ball is rolling their way, opposing teams have little chance to win.

Asquith continues to improve, particularly in his handling of the ball. His blocking was always good, but his passing was a trifle off. Now he has got the trick of "crossing" his opponents and giving the ball to his rushes, and this improvement makes him a "handy man to have around the rink."

Griffith gave a splendid exhibition of "covering" last night. In watching Williams and Thompson, "Grif" had some job on his hands but he filled the bill in an exceptionally clever manner.

Lovegreen's work at goal last night was of a very classy variety.

GRANT ANNOUNCES NEW DEPARTURE

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—George W. Grant, owner of the Boston Braves, yesterday announced a new plan which should prove popular and which is in keeping with his announced policy when he took over the club three weeks ago, which was, in effect, that he proposed to give the Boston baseball public the consideration to which it was entitled.

The change amounts practically to a reduction in prices of admission.

He announced that the entire grandstand at Braves Field, with the exception of the box seats, will be unreserved for all championship games played there this season, except on holiday afternoons. This means that seats in the grandstand, box seats excepted, will be available to the fans at the admission price of 75 cents, plus the war tax, instead of having 5000 or 1000 of the best of them reserved, as heretofore. This will make Braves Field the only major league baseball park at which such a rule will obtain.

"I believe in giving the baseball public all I can give it for its money," said Mr. Grant in explaining the change, "and so there will be no reservation in the grandstand, except in box seats, and a small number of the other seats on holiday afternoons, which is done for the convenience of patrons who wish to make sure of reservations."

The prices of some of the box seats will be reduced. The seats in the first row of boxes will remain at $1.50, plus the war tax, but the second and third rows, formerly sold at the same price, [illegible] the war tax. The price [illegible] on holidays will be the same as every other day.

"I cannot see the sense of having of these seats vacant, and compel the patrons of the game to stay away from further back," Mr. Grant.

GEORGE TYLER TO SIGN CONTRACT

George Tyler of this city, star southpaw of Mitchell's Chicago Cubs, has received his 1919 contract, and finding the terms contained therein perfectly satisfactory, will immediately sign it and return it to the club offices.

Tyler has been informed by his manager that he will be expected to report in Chicago March 19, when the club leaves for its spring training trip to Pasadena, Cal. The Lowell hurler expects a good season, both for himself and the Cubs, with the possibility of another pennant in the older organization and eventually another crack at the world series dag.

CALDWELL FIT FOR 1000-YARD RUN

Dave Caldwell of the B.A.A. is in fine fettle for the 1000-yard run for the Curley trophy at the service meet in the East armory at Boston, tomorrow night. Dave has two legs on the cup already and Joe Higgins of Holy Cross, one, but the latter will not be able to compete this year. Those persons who attended the meet when Caldwell won the yearly event for the second time in a wonderful race with Higgins and Mike Devaney, in 2.15, then a world's indoor record, are looking forward to some rare sport Saturday night. Devaney would like to come to Boston for the race, but is classed as a doubtful starter. However, Bowdoin of Tech has been groomed for the event, and Nightingale of N. H. State and Harry Paine of the B.A.A. are sure to make the going fast.

ST. PATRICK'S FIVE WINS

The St. Patrick's school eighth grade basketball quintet yesterday defeated a representative five from the Mann school by an overwhelming score of 44 to 0. Ashe and Prindeville starred for the Acres, each scoring 18 points, while T. Prindeville did the individual playing for the Mann school. St. Patrick's eighth grade team challenges any grammar school five in the city.

LAWRENCE BOUTS

Murphy "Subs" For Adair—Draws With Bogash

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—"Red" Murphy of Syracuse, N. Y., was substituted for Barney Adair before the Unity club last night and gave Louis Bogash, New England lightweight champion of Bridgeport, a hard battle. The decision was a draw.

Sammy Jensky won the decision over Vic Moran, Young Goulette over Joe Delmont and Kid Francis over Dave Cronin in the preliminaries.

BIG BOWLING MATCH

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 14.—McConville and Pride have accepted the challenge of Paul Dochler and "Red" Millar, Boston bowlers, for a match, in or more strings, to be bowled in each city. The Portland men, formerly state champion and present title holder respectively, defeated Arcole Walsh and James Whalen in 20 strings in a recent match. Negotiations are on for the dates and amount of prize money.

NO MORE CIRCUS FOR WILLARD

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 14.—Jess Willard, heavyweight champion of the world, is no longer proprietor of a circus. The Kansas number and kind of paychecks came to Kansas City yesterday and disposed of his circus train and equipment for $17,000. This does not include any of the animals that were with Willard's Wild West show when he toured the country in 1917. He sold the animals more than a year ago.

Willard is now interested only in oil leases and his ranch near Lawrence, Kas., where he makes his home. He went into the show business during the summer of 1917, when he was under the management of Tom Jones and Jack Curley. The champion was traveling with the circus, meeting all comers. He wanted to get rid of Jones and Curley, so he bought the circus and told his managers he was through with them.

The circus was a success under the champion's management, but he decided not to take the road again this year because war conditions made the show business unprofitable in 1918.

The champion is doing some light training in preparation for his bout with Jack Dempsey July 4, which will be promoted by Tex Rickard. Jess says he has not heard from Rickard since the promoter was in Kansas City.

SPORTING GOSSIP

At a gathering of baseball patrons and newspapermen in New York yesterday the Capt. Edward L. Grant Memorial association was formed for the purpose of "providing a fitting memorial for a soldier who made the supreme sacrifice in France; for a baseball player who was a credit to the game, for a patriot and a man." Capt. Grant was killed in the Argonne Oct. 1. He was a member of the New York National league team when he enlisted in the officers' training school at Plattsburg in May, 1917. John J. McGraw of the New York club was elected president of the association, Sam Crane, secretary, and John B. Foster, treasurer. "Eddie" Grant will ever be remembered by the people in the shadow of Coogan's Bluff.

Connie Mack signed the sixth of his old players for the year yesterday when he received Tillie Walker's contract. Some doubt had been expressed whether or not the fleet-footed outfielder would toil in line this season, but the papers seem to dispel these fears. Mack needs the former Red Sox man in his trio of outer-gardeners.

Jim Cooley, former Worcester shortstop, may be the next shortstop of the Cincinnati club if Washington and the St. Louis Browns can be talked out of seeking his services. President Frazee, who holds Cooley on the Red Sox list, wishes to see him make his major league debut with Garry Herrmann's team, and has said: "I would never let him go to any club if I didn't have Scott and McNally, and I'd like to see the boy with Cincinnati. He's good enough to get such a player out of the American league, Washington, with John Lavan sticking to the navy, needs him, and so I feel so anxious to get a shortstop who can hit."

Olympic games held in the next two or three years, would be little more than dual meets between United States and Sweden, as England and France will be in no condition to talk these big games for some time to come.

Mike Ryan, athletic director at Camp Upton, has picked three of the men who will run against George Brown's first naval district relay at the Milrose A.A. games. Lieut. Lorry Spudder, the former Penn star; Lieut. Hulse, the Syracuse hurdler and quarter-miler, and the speedy Abel Kiviat are the men selected.

Frank "Wild Fire" Schulte, former Cub and later with Washington, has signed to manage the Binghamton team of the International league this year.

Letters From Lowell Soldiers

Mrs. P. F. Kearney of 20 Talbot avenue, North Billerica has received the following interesting letter from her son, Corp. Austin H. Kearney of Battery A, 71st Field Artillery, overseas, in which he encloses the Christmas eve message of the colonel commanding his outfit:

St. Sylvain, France, Dec. 26, 1918.

Dear Mother: I haven't written you for some time, the reason being that I thought I would be home before the letter. I haven't written to anybody for five or six weeks.

Yesterday was Christmas and we sure had a good time, considering how we are fixed. We had reveille at 7.30 and each soldier received a package with two chocolate bars, a package of cigarets, a cigar and a can of tobacco. There was no drilling all day. We had a big turkey dinner with cake, pie, celery, boiled onions, mashed potatoes, etc. Long tables were set in an old church and we were each given a menu together with a roster of Battery A and Battery B, the first battalion of the well known 71st regiment.

The pillars and old arches had very pretty holly decorations and a large holly bell in the centre with an American flag over the altar. The first battalion includes about 500 or 600 men.

After dinner I got a pass and went into Angers, a city much larger than Lowell and not quite so large as Boston. We stayed until about 6 o'clock and as we didn't happen to meet any of our trucks on the way, we had to walk all the way back—about nine kilometres.

Just got in St. Sylvain in time to get to our minstrel show which was also held in this old church. It sure was "some" show and we really had an enjoyable time, although I was thinking every little while of home and the folks.

To top it all, I received my Christmas box and I'll just have to wait until I get home to tell you how glad I was to get it. I also got several letters. I haven't replied because we thought we were going home, but as far as we know it won't be for a little while.

Please excuse my writing as I am lying on my side, writing on a board with a candle to give me light. I'll write a longer letter in a few days. I am enclosing our Christmas eve message from our colonel which was read at retreat Christmas eve.

AUSTIN.

WAKEFIELD HIGH COMING TOMORROW NIGHT

Wakefield high is bringing only 13 men to Lowell Saturday night for her dual meet with the local squad, but the representatives of the near-Boston school are all picked men. There is no dead wood in the bunch and each man has been groomed for one special event. Burke, a brother of the Wakefield star of last year and two years previous, will bear the brunt of the work, as he is entered in the "thirty," the 600, 300 and 100 yard runs. Levine is another man who will bear close watching and he will be hard to beat in the 600 yards.

Local track followers will remember the Wakefield meet of last year as one of the hardest fought, victory finally swinging Lowell's way through a close decision in the relay race. This Wakefield relay quartet is practically intact and, by his gait and another working good finish is anticipated. Wakefield's color is high in the crease of the team and experts to reverse last year's result.

The Lowell squad took its final practice this afternoon, and all men are reported to be in top condition. It is possible that Capt. Mansur will also be used in the shot put as he has been showing good form in that event this week, and Coach Haggerty is hard up against it for point winners.

Directly after practice today the whole squad went to the Y.M.C.A. to attend the supper to be given by the students of the association. Lieut. James Patterson, intercollegiate 100-yard champion, is the principal speaker.

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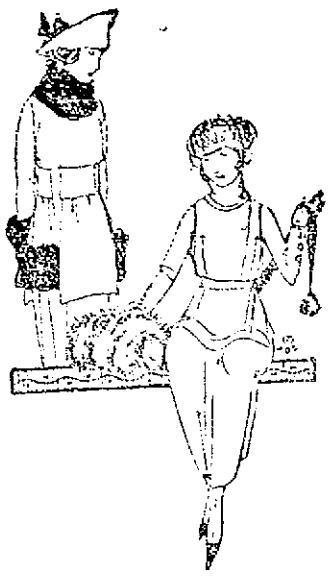

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NOTICE IN THE SUN BRINGS RESULTS

On Wednesday a short item was published in The Sun to the effect that J. R. Goodnue of Ocean View, Va., had written to Supt. Welch of the police department in an endeavor to locate Mrs. Josephine Lambert, wife of Louis Lambert, a railroad man. The letter stated that the last heard from Mrs. Lambert was several years ago when she was making her home in Suffolk street near a church.

As usual the notice in The Sun had its effect, for Supt. Welch received no less than ten responses to the article, and one of them was real interesting. Yesterday afternoon a young woman called at the office of the superintendent in Market street but, although she would give no name, she represented herself as the second wife of Louis Lambert. She informed the chief that Mr. Lambert's first wife was dead and that he too passed away several years ago. A few minutes later, however, a young man called at the station and said he was Mr. Lambert's brother-in-law. He stated that Mrs. Josephine Lambert, nee McLeach, died of gas poisoning about nine or ten years ago in a house in Merrimack street in the vicinity of city hall. He also gave the information that Mr. Lambert is living and is now employed as a railroad conductor on the line between Roberval and Lac St. John, Quee, and that only a few weeks ago he was a visitor in Lowell with his second wife. Several other parties confirmed the young man's story and the information received from him was sent to Mr. Goodnue.

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DEATHS

CONNELLY—The many friends of Sister Mary Elicius, formerly Miss Annie Connelly of this city, will be grieved to learn of her death which took place yesterday at the convent of the sisters of St. Joseph in Somerville. She was well known in this city, having been in the order only two years and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. She was a graduate of St. Patrick's Girls' academy and was a member of the Immaculate Conception sodality of St. Patrick's parish. Sister Elicius leaves besides her parents, John and Catherine Connelly of 148 Cross street, this city, two brothers, William and Leo, and three sisters, Nora, Esther and Catherine of this city.

ANDERSON—Miss Ida Anderson died yesterday afternoon at St. John's hospital at the age of 58 years, 1 month and 11 days. Miss Anderson was born in Sweden but had been a resident of this city for the past 33 years, residing at 8 Griffin street. She is survived by three brothers, August and John Anderson of this city and Gustaf Anderson of Woburn, and a sister living in Sweden. She was a member of the Swedish Methodist church. Her body will be removed to the home of her brother, 53 South Loring street, today by Undertaker William H. Saunders.

MARSH—James F. Marsh died Wednesday at Masonic home in Charlton, aged 50 years. He was for many years in the tobacco business in Prescott street.

BONDEAU—Clara Bondeau, aged 25 years, died yesterday at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Bondeau, 57 West Fifth avenue. Besides her parents she leaves five brothers and three sisters.

TABOR—Mrs. Anna Tabor, wife of Michael aged 75 years, died yesterday at her home, 8 Conlan's court.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ANDERSON—Died in this city, Feb. 13, at St. John's hospital, Miss Ida Anderson, aged 58 years, 1 month and 11 days. Funeral services will be held at the home of her brother, John Anderson, 53 South Loring st., on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Automobile cortege. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

BARRY—The funeral of Thomas F. Barry will take place Saturday morning from his late home, rear 55 Cross street, at 8 o'clock. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

ERNEST—The funeral of Catherine Ernest will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of C. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

KAZANJIAN—The funeral of Elizabeth Kazanjian will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home, 357 High street. Burial will be in Westlawn cemetery, under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons, undertakers.

MOORE—The funeral of Mrs. Teresa Moore will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home, 56 Chambers street. Burial will be in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. Undertaker George B. McKenna in charge.

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PRINTING DEPARTMENT ESTIMATES

The work of paring down the estimates for 1919 as submitted by the various city departments will undoubtedly get under way next Monday morning, according to Mayor Thompson. The estimates are practically completed and the heads of the various departments are anxious to have the job over with so that they may go ahead with the year's work unhindered by doubts as to how much money they will have to expend. The time is drawing very near the danger line as the city charter says that the departments may expend money in anticipation of appropriation during only the first two months of the year.

MASS NOTICE

An anniversary high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church, Monday morning at 8 o'clock, for the repose of the soul of Private Thomas J. Quirk, who died in France February 17, 1918.

FUNERALS

ERNEST—Catherine Ernest, aged 24 years, died at the State hospital and the body was removed to the funeral parlors of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street.

HAZZARD—The funeral of William R. Hazzard took place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his home, 188 Lawrence street, and was largely attended. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

KILLEEN—The funeral of Lillian Killeen took place Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the funeral chapel of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market st. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

MORGAN—The private funeral of Miss Hazel E. Morgan was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her father, George F. Morgan, 292 Chelmsford street. The services were conducted by Rev. Arthur S. Beale, pastor of the Highland Congregational church. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. The bearers were Lieut. Phillip H. Lougret, Charles T. McKenzie, Oliver L. Knapp and Abner C. Alden. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LIBBY—The funeral services of Mrs. Abbie F. Libby were held at the Edson cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon, Rev. Herbert E. Benton, pastor of the Grace Universalist church officiating. The bearers were Herbert E. Webster, Orren H. Webster, Frederick B. Emerson and Hon. Frederick W. Farnham. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

VILIG—The funeral of George Edward Vilig, the seven-year-old son of Herman F. Vilig, was held from the undertaking rooms of George Carter on Concord road, Billerica, yesterday. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Harold Dale, pastor of the Congregational church. There were many floral offerings. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at Fox Hill cemetery.

LAWTON—Funeral services for Mrs. Helen M. Lawton, wife of Judge Frederick Lawton, took place yesterday afternoon at the First Church, Back Bay, Boston, and were conducted by Rev. Charles E. Park, D.D., the minister of the society. There was no vocal music, but several organ selections were played by John P. Marshall, the church organist, before and following the service. The body was brought to Lowell for burial.

LANG—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Lang took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 102 High street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. Charles Smith, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Thomas Sheehy, Patrick Carty, Mark Gearin and Arthur Devlin. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. McQuaid. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MORRIS—The funeral of Miss Hannah Morris took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock from her home, 30 Bourne street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from No. Adams, N. Y. and Dorchester and Boston, Mass. The cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where, at 10 o'clock a solemn high funeral mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. John Flynn, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. T. Franklin, O.M.I., as sub-deacon, and Rev. John Lyons of Holliston, Mass., was present within the sanctuary. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John F. Kelly rendered the Gregorian mass, Mr. Kelly presiding at the organ. There was a profusion of spiritual bouquets. The bearers were Lawrence Kane, Thomas Greene, Dennis Morris and Philip Murnane. At the grave Rev. Fr. Flynn read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CUDWORTH—The funeral of Isabel Cudworth took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of her mother, 16 Stanley street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. James A. Lynch. The choir, directed by Mr. Thomas P. Boulger sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mr. Boulger and Miss Margaret Griffin. Miss Ella M. Reilly presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral offerings from sympathizing relatives and friends. The bearers were Messrs. Timothy Vaughn, Daniel O'Connell, John Aubin, Raymond Wilde, Thomas Delaney and John Toohey. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Lynch read the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

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Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

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Fancy Ceylon Tea ..... 35¢ lb., 3 lbs. $1.00
Pure Rich Cocoa ..... 23¢ lb.
Marshmallow Mist, (large can) ..... 23¢

STERLING MILL AGENT IN HEROIC RESCUE

With an utter disregard for the ice-covered water and his own life, Royal P. White, agent of the Sterling mill, and captain in the state guard, yesterday afternoon, plunged through the thin ice which fringes the Concord river in the rear of the Sterling Co. to rescue Clara Zinck, a girl of 8 years, living at 39 Hudson street.

For some time the child has had the habit of playing around the mill property, which borders on the river, and she was not noticed particularly yesterday afternoon when she was first seen near the river bank. Venturing out on the thin ice the little girl broke through, a cry for help coming from her lips as she sank beneath the surface. Capt. White heard this cry while sitting at his desk in the mill office and dashed out to her rescue. Realizing that he would not be able to reach the child from the thicker ice Capt. White plunged into the open water, which swirled up to his neck, and grasped the girl as she came up for the second time. Other men from the mill also had answered the call and with the help of life-saving apparatus nearby pulled their agent and the child from the numbing water.

The girl was carried into the mill office where she was wrapped in blankets and given stimulants, and afterwards taken to her home in Hudson street. Neither Capt. White nor the little girl showed any ill effects from the icy water last evening. It was an act of true heroism, one which cannot pass unnoticed and unpraised.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either newsstand in the North station.

Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

TELLS SAFE AND SIMPLE WAY TO TREAT AND BELIEVE AT HOME

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parmint (Double Strength.) Take this home and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easy, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucus dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. It is said that nearly 90 per cent. of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and there must, therefore, be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple, harmless, home treatment.—Adv.

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SCOUTS DEMONSTRATE AT KEITH'S THEATRE

Members of the local troops of the Boy Scouts appeared at Keith's theatre last evening for the second public presentation of their anniversary week program and an interested audience thoroughly enjoyed the performance.

The scouts recently appeared at the Strand theatre and on both occasions opportunity was afforded the public to get an inside view of just what the scouts were doing. Last evening they were under the direction of Scoutmaster Fred Timmins, Reid I. Ripley, scout executive, was also present.

Following the call to the colors by Bugler Wilbur Roberts, allegiance to flag and country was pledged and this was most impressive. Troop 26 gave an excellent exhibition of pyramid building and then other troops followed with the semaphore alphabet and the international Morse code. The scout yell, "America" was also given with spirit.

Scoutmaster Timmins spoke briefly on the part which the scouts had played in the world war and also outlined plans for the future. He expressed the hope that there would be further co-operation between the scouts and the general public in the future.

During the regular Keith performance the scouts occupied box seats as the guests of the management. Officials of the local council wish to extend their appreciation to the management of the Strand and Keith's theatres for the various favors which have been done the scouts.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

In connection with the nation-wide observance of father and son week a most enjoyable banquet was held last evening at Calvary Baptist church in Liberty street. After an appetizing supper, came a program of music and speaking.

A number of solos were sung by Earl Leadbetter, accompanied by Miss Marion Leadbetter, and George Stewart entertained with the cornet.

After an invocation by the pastor, Rev. Asa R. Dilts, the toastmaster of the evening, Douglas Walker, who is president of the progressive class, made fitting remarks and introduced the various speakers. An address of welcome was made by Louis Browning, superintendent of the church school, and this was followed by an interesting talk, entitled "A boy's best pal is his dad," by Ernest Craig, one of the progressives.

"A dad's best friend should be his boy" was the subject of some valuable remarks by S. G. Stephens and W. R. Gumb paid tribute to the boys who have "gone west." An address was made by Rev. Walter E. Woodbury, pastor of the Worthen Street Baptist church, and then with the singing of a hymn to fathers to the tune of "Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult," the pleasant evening was concluded.

The banquet was prepared by Mrs. F. A. Hardy, Mrs. J. E. McGregor, Mrs. E. L. Lalime, Mrs. S. G. Stephens, and served by Misses Hazel Hardy, Harriet Hardy, Ethel Dixon, Mildred McGregor and Florence Lalime.

I.W.W. LEADERS TAKEN IN SEATTLE RAIDS

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 14.—Four men, declared to have been leaders in distributing revolution and Industrial Workers of the World propaganda during Seattle's general strike recently, were in jail here today and warrants were out for seven others, charging criminal anarchy following three raids in which 33 additional men were arrested, and are being held for investigation.

Four men have been held on charges of distributing revolutionary propaganda. They are John Axtell, secretary of the propaganda committee of the I.W.W.; William Moran, under-secretary of the I.W.W. Defense council; Walker C. Smith, head of the Equity Printing Co. and alleged publisher and distributor of a strike leaflet headed "Russia did it," which advocated workmen taking over the shipyards, and F. G. Cassidy, candidate for the city council.

Prosecuting Attorney Fred C. Brown, who swore to the complaints upon which the warrants were issued, said: "Members of the Industrial Workers of the World used the general strike of labor in this city as a vehicle with which to start a revolution."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A very enjoyable smoke talk was held last evening in Highland hall under the auspices of Highland council, R.A. The affair was largely attended and proved to be one of the best social events of its kind in a long time. A feature of the affair was an entertainment by Carmine Dimoe, the soldier boy magician, who mystified his audience with numerous card tricks and other interesting stunts. Grand Officer Holgate of Boston and formerly of this city, spoke at length on the good of the order. Refreshments were served. The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Fred E. Jones, O. Phinney and J. E. Lafleur.

Catarrh Of the Stomach Is Dangerous

"Thousands Have It and Don't Know It," Says Physician—Frequently Mistaken for Indigestion—How to Recognize and Treat.

"Thousands of people suffer more or less constantly from furred, coated tongue, bad breath, sour, burning stomach, frequent vomiting, rumbling in stomach, bitter eructations, gas, wind and stomach acidity and call it indigestion when in reality their trouble is due to gastric catarrh of the stomach," writes a New York physician.

Catarrh of the stomach is dangerous because the mucous membrane lining of the stomach is thickened and a coating of phlegm covers the surface so that the digestive fluids cannot mix with the food and digest them. This condition soon breeds deadly disease in the fermented, unassimilated food. The blood is poisoned and carries the infection throughout the body. Gastric ulcers are apt to form and frequently an ulcer is the next sign of a deadly cancer.

In catarrh of the stomach a quick and safe treatment is to take before meals a teaspoonful of pure Bisurated Magnesia in half a glass of hot water as hot as you can comfortably drink it. The hot water washes the mucous from the stomach walls and draws the blood to the stomach while the bisurated magnesia is an excellent solvent for mucous and increases the efficiency of the hot water treatment. Moreover the Bisurated Magnesia will serve as a powerful but harmless antacid which will neutralize any excess hydrochloric acid that may be in your stomach and sweeten its food contents. Easy, natural digestion without distress of any kind should soon follow. Bisurated Magnesia is not a laxative, is harmless, pleasant and easy to take and can be obtained from any local druggist. Don't confuse Bisurated Magnesia with other forms of magnesia, milks, citrates, etc., but get it in the pure bisurated form (powder or tablets), especially prepared for this purpose.

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Men's Blue Railroad Overalls, $1.75 value .....99¢
Men's Heavy Mixed Wool Sweaters, $2.50 value.....99¢
Men's Cotton Hose, in black and colors, 10¢ Pr., 3 Prs. for 25¢
Men's Contoocook Mixed Wool Hose, 50c value.....33¢ Pair
Men's Heavy Ribbed Undershirts (only), $1.25 value..75¢ Each
Men's Flannelette Work Shirts, $1.00 value .....69¢ Each
Men's Chambray Work Shirts (best make), $1.50 value.....99¢

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SECTION

Ladies' Cotton Hose, 19c value....10¢ Pair, 3 Pairs for 25¢
Children's School Hose, 29c value .....10¢ Pair
Men's 12½c Handkerchiefs .....7¢, 4 for 25¢
Ladies' Bungalow Aprons, $1.50 value .....99¢
All Garters for Children and Misses .....10¢ Pair
Gingham Dresses, 2 to 14 years, $2.00 values .....99¢

KITCHENWARE SECTION

Aluminum Percolators, guaranteed pure, $2.00 value. Special 99¢
Aluminum Boiling Kettles with cover, 4 and 6 qt. sizes, $1.75 value .....99¢
Window Shades, all colors, while they last .....49¢
(In Second Quality Only)
$1.00 House Brooms, while they last .....69¢

For lack of space we will just say that in our kitchenware department you will find an entire change of prices which will save you real money.

Large Roll Toilet Paper .....6 for 25¢
Flash Hand Cleaner .....3 Cans for 25¢

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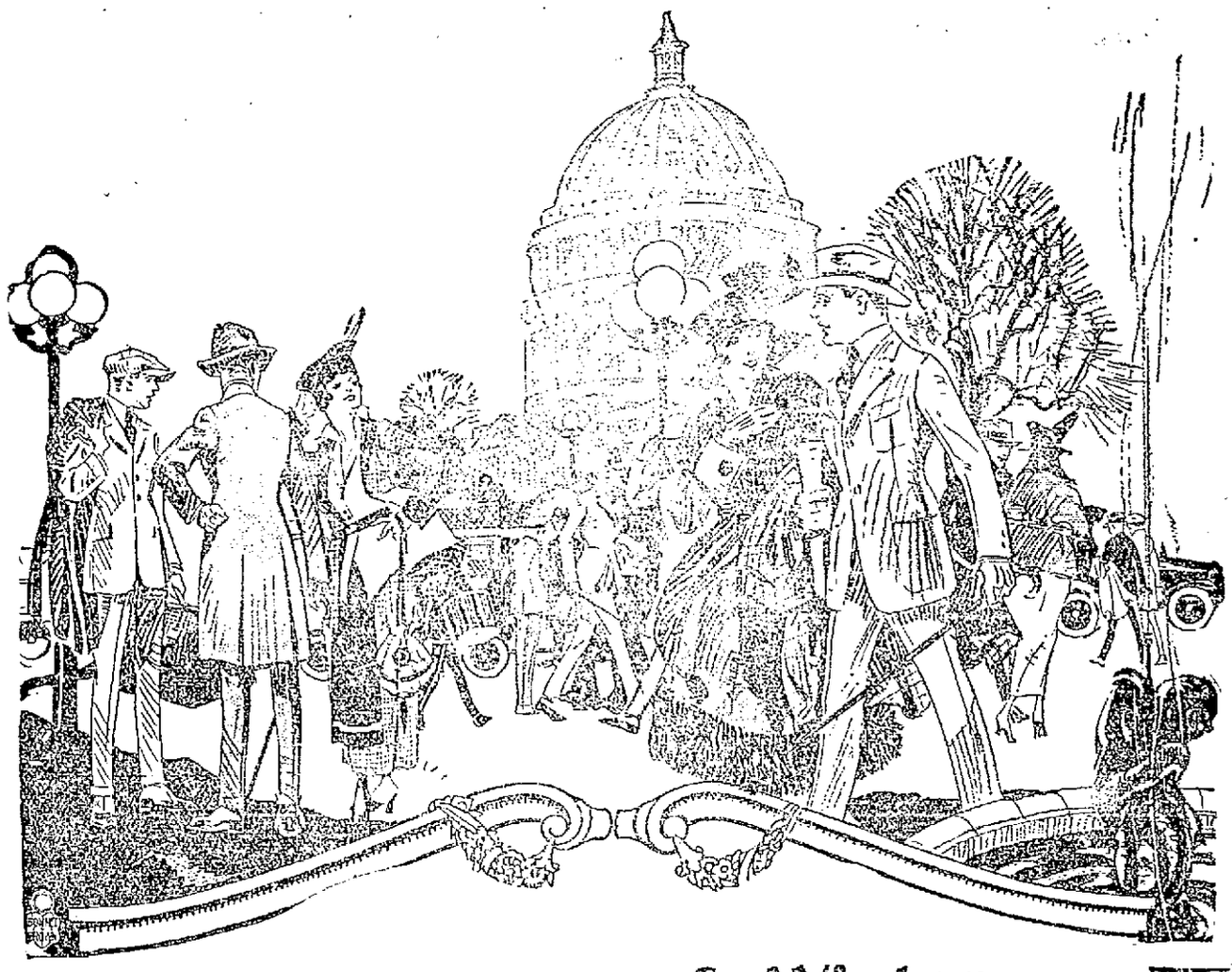

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Every suit and overcoat in our store is for sale at mark down prices.

Every suit and overcoat is of our regular stock. No sale suits or overcoats worked in.

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$20.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS, Now..... $16.00
$25.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS, Now..... $20.00
$30.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS, Now..... $24.00
$35.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS, Now..... $28.00
$40.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS, Now..... $32.00

Boys' Suits and Overcoats marked down.

Men's Shirts, Underwear and Sweaters marked down.

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Special Sale of MEN'S SOFT HATS, were $2, $2.50, $3, now $1.35

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Attended Boston Meeting

Among the members of Industry, Lowell and Rochambeau councils who attended the reception given to Field Manager Edward J. Becker of New York at Chipman hall, Boston, Wednesday evening were the following:

Regents Neil A. Clark, Harry Richardson, Alphonse Fortier and John L. Jackson; Thomas H. Wilson, George D. Desrochers, Dr. Joseph A. Mehan, Dr. Hugh Walker, Hon. John J. Hogan, James A. Clark, Charles Fox, Peter Farrington, Lester A. Hill, Robert Bugby, Paul Leclaire, George E. Desrochers, David Parthenais, H. Montmarquet, G. Desrochers and many others.

FARMER'S INSTITUTE NEXT WEDNESDAY

Under the auspices of the Massachusetts state department of agriculture, co-operating with the Middlesex North Agricultural society, the third farmers' institute meeting of the season will be held next Wednesday at the Paige Street Baptist church in this city. The affair will last all day and promises to be the most important event of its kind in a long time.

The program will be as follows:

10 a. m.—Farmers' conference.

10.30 a. m. Address by Dr. George M. Twitchell of Maine. Topic, "Economic, Industrial, and Social Conditions Affecting the Farmer and Farm Life."

11.30 a. m. General discussion of above subject.

11.45 a. m. Discussion, followed by vote of the audience of the question "Should we not have agricultural departments and colleges determine by actual farm tests costs of production of the staple farm crops in different sections, and so help the farmer in obtaining living prices for his products?"

12 m.—Dinner. Served by the ladies of the church.

1 p. m. After-dinner remarks by well known citizens and talks by Mrs. Winnifred Flagg Symonds of Tyngsboro.

2 p. m. The afternoon session will include musical selections by Mrs. Symonds and a talk upon "Health Helps" by Dr. Eleanor Mellen.

WOOLEN SPINNERS

At a regular meeting of the Woolen Spinners' union held last evening the retiring president, Joseph O. Foster was presented a handsome gold signet ring with the insignia of the United Textile Workers of America, while William Story, the retiring secretary, was also remembered by being presented a purse of gold. The presentations were made by Charles E. Anderson, secretary of the Trades and Labor council, who complimented and thanked the retiring officers for their efficient services to the union. The meeting was presided over by President Thos. Farrell and routine business was transacted.

IF MOTHERS ONLY KNEW

During these days how many children are complaining of headache, dizziness, stomach troubles and constipation! If mothers only knew what Mother Gray's Sweet Powders would do for their children no family would ever be without them. These powders are so easy and pleasant to take and so effective in their action that children also ask for them themselves. Tell other mothers about them. Sold by druggists everywhere. Adv.

MONUMENT IN FRANCE TO AMERICAN HEROES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—France has offered to present to the United States the site for a monument on French soil to Americans who died "on the field of honor."

STRAY DOGS KILLED

As a result of the activity of the local police about a hundred stray dogs have been put to death during the past week. The patrolmen of the city a week ago were given instructions to round up all stray dogs, that frequenting public resorts, around without collars properly marked, and since that time the average of about 15 dogs a day has been sent to the station. The dogs breathed their last in the gas box under the surveillance of Agent Gilmore of the Humane society.

STATIONARY FIREMEN

The members of the Stationary Firemen at a regular meeting last evening voted to strike in a couple of weeks if by that time the war labor board has taken no action on their demand for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage of $5 a day. Some time ago the firemen started a movement for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage of $5 a day and the matter was referred to the war labor board, which set Jan. 15 as the date for a hearing. The board was not ready to confer at that time and a postponement was effected, but since that time the firemen claim they have heard nothing regarding their request. Last evening's meeting was presided over by President Thomas F. Quinn.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particles of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

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The Sale of "Chic" Undermuslins

Continues all the week—and the prices are so much less than for several months, one should stock up on these well made garments.

New lots added daily, and a large assortment of sample pieces.

THE "CHIC" SHOP

50 CENTRAL STREET—Through to Prescott Street

CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC CHIC

SPECTACULAR RUNAWAY

Cow on Way to Slaughter House Had Last and Fast Ride

A most spectacular runaway occurred in Gorham street late yesterday afternoon, when a pair of heavy horses, hitched to a jigger in which "Bossie" a cow formerly owned by a Chelmsford farmer, was riding, became frightened and raced down the street as far as the postoffice.

It seems that the jigger was being driven from Chelmsford to Dracut via Gorham street. When Davis square was reached the driver alighted from the wagon and went into a store. In the meantime while "Bossie" was probably wondering what was going to happen to her, a passing automobile frightened the pair of horses and the result was a dash through the street at breakneck speed.

"Bossie" was rolled from one side of the jigger to the other and in many instances she was threatened with being thrown overboard, but through amazing acrobatic feats she managed to keep her position. The horses speeded down the hill, swaying from one side of the street to the other. In a couple of instances the vehicle came in contact with standing automobiles, but no serious damage was caused. When the corner of Appleton street was reached there was an electric in the middle of the road, but that did not prevent the horses from keeping on their wild race. They swung around the car and it was then that "Bossie" was most badly treated, for the jigger struck a pole and "Bossie" was given the shaking-up of her life. The collision snapped the pole of the jigger and the horses, becoming free, kept up their run to a point beyond the postoffice, where they were brought to a stop by an unknown man.

The horses were later rehitched to the jigger and driven to Humphrey's stable in Gorham street. Agent Gilmore of the Humane society was called and after ascertaining that the horses and "Bossie" were in no worse condition than when the race was started, he gave Mr. Cohen, the owner and driver, permission to resume his trip and "Bossie" was then safely taken to the slaughter house. The runaway was witnessed by hundreds of people and all wondered that no serious damage was done.

REPORTS OF REBELLION "MADE IN GERMANY"

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Reports of a rebellion in Rumania have been current for nearly a month, with varying details, but all have emanated from German or Austrian sources and have not been confirmed by advices from disinterested points. The Rumanian legation here knows nothing of any outbreak and does not attach any importance to reports received yesterday from Berlin.

The legation, however, says that it has known for many months that German and Russian Bolshevists, amply supplied with money, have been working in Rumania trying to bring about anarchy and the deposition of the dynasty.

WAR REVENUE BILL IS PASSED BY CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Final legislative action on the war revenue bill levying six billions in taxes this year and four billions yearly thereafter until revised was taken late yesterday by the senate.

Without a record vote and with but a few scattering noes, the conference agreement on the measure was adopted as approved last Saturday by the house.

After the bill is signed by Vice President Marshall and Speaker Clark it will be sent to the White House for approval by President Wilson after his return from France, about the end of the month.

THE LAWRENCE STRIKE SITUATION

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—The absence of unskilled workers still hampered today the operation of the big textile plants where a strike has been in progress two weeks to enforce a demand that pay at the rate of 54 hours be given under the new 48 hour week schedule. Mill officials said that many of the skilled workers had returned and that virtually all the others would report when needed.

The strike committee representing largely operatives classed as unskilled maintained the usual picketing force at the mill gates when the bells rang for the opening hour today. The police made two arrests near the Pacific mills where they said workers were being intimidated. Members of the citizens' committee who had watchers at the gates, said the number reporting for work was larger than on any day since the strike began.

The appointment of William Rennie as treasurer of the strike committee to succeed Anthony Russo, was announced today. Russo explained that he did not have the time to devote to the work. Angelo Rocco, who was reported to have resigned from the strike committee, said today that he had had no connection with the strike.

No Need to Be Thin, Scrawny or Sallow

If you are thin and want to be plump if you have wrinkles in your face that you are not proud of, if the skin is sallow or subject to pimples or blackheads, take Mi-o-na stomach tablets for two weeks and notice the change.

The majority of the thin people are thin because the stomach does not perform its duties properly. It is not secreting sufficient of the natural digestive juices and in consequence does not extract from the food enough nutritive matter to nourish every part of the body.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are intended to build up the stomach so that it will act properly and extract from the food the elements necessary to form flesh.

If you are thin try two weeks' treatment of Mi-o-na stomach tablets—they are small, easily swallowed and are sold on the guarantee of money back if they do not overcome chronic indigestion, acute or chronic, sour stomach disturbance, belching, heartburn, sour stomach, and any after dinner distress.

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FOOD FACTS

A Few of the Many Big Cut-Price Specials at

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THIS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Pigs' Feet White and Clean **7 lbs. 25c**

Potatoes Large No. 1 Stock, 15 lb. Peck ..... **33c** | **Coffee** Fresh Roast Less Than Cost, lb **19c**

GEISHA CRABMEAT, new goods, just arrived, 1 lb. can.....59c

Butter Table Quality Pound . **45c** | **Lard** Best Rex Pure White, lb. **27c** | **Eggs** Fancy Selected Dozen **38c**

FRUIT JELLY, lb.....10¢ | PEANUT BUTTER, lb. ..19¢ | Cheese, Young America, lb. 35¢

Pork Shoulders, lb. 15c | **Pork Loins** Small Lean. Lb. ... **25c**

Pork and Beans Campbell's Best, Can **12c** | **Hatchet** Pork and Beans Big Can **25c**

Roast Beef Boneless Sirloin No Waste Pound ... **25c** | **Roast Beef** Face of Rump Lb. . **25c**

BUTTERINE, lb. .....29¢ | COMPOUND, lb. .....25¢ | SALT PORK, hvy. bean, lb. 23¢

BEANS, Best Georgia, lb.....8¢ | BEANS, Fancy Yel. Eye, lb. 10¢ | BEANS, best pink, lb.....8¢

SPARE RIBS, Salt, lb.....10¢ | PIGS' HEAD, corned, lb...10¢ | OX TONGUE, corned, lb...25¢

Oranges 30c Size Dozen **39c** | **FIGS, pkg. 19c**

Legs of Mutton, lb. .....21¢ Legs of Lamb, lb. .....32¢

Tomato Sausage 30c lb.
Dried Beef ..... 70c lb.
Pork Sausage....32c lb.
Beef Loaf ..... 28c lb.
Blood Pudding ..25c lb.
Frankfurts .... 23c lb.
Jellied Corn Beef 28c lb.
Sliced Scotch Ham 55c lb.
Sliced Boiled Ham 75c lb.
Sliced Bacon ....50c lb.

Pressed Corn Beef 50c lb.
Head Cheese ....25c lb.
Jelly Tongue ....55c lb.
Metswurth ..... 45c lb.
Tripe ..... 10c lb.
Pigs' Feet .....12c lb.
Pressed Ham ....25c lb.
Minced Ham .... 23c lb.
Holstein ..... 45c lb.
Pressed Corn Pork 50c lb.

Ginger Snaps..... 8c lb.
Animal Crackers 12c lb.
Fig Newtons.... 23c lb.
Mixed Cookies ..18c lb.
Milk Crackers .. 18c lb.
Soda Crackers.. 18c lb.
Graham Crackers 20c lb.
Oyster Crackers 20c lb.
Lemon Snaps....22c lb.
Raisin Drops.... 25c lb.
Saltines ..... 25c lb.

Butter Thins.... 25c lb.
Brown Baked Crackers 50c box
Bradt's Common Crackers ..... 50c box
Takhoma Biscuits .. 9c
Butter Thins.. 18c pkg.
Drake's Pound Cake, 30c lb.
Drake Sponge..... 32c
Corn on Cob 12c
Soft Shelled Walnuts 38c lb.

Beef Boiling Pieces, lb.....18¢ Sirloin, Boned, lb.....25¢ Chuck Cuts, lb.....22¢ Prime Rib, lb. .....28¢

Veal Milk Fed Legs, lb....21¢ Milk Fed Loins, lb...19¢ Milk Fed Fores, lb...15¢ Milk Fed Chops, lb...28¢

FOWL Fresh Killed, Lb. ...35c

CORNED BEEF
Thick Rib, lb...18¢ | Spare Ribs, lb...10¢ | Salt Pork, lb...23¢
Brisket, lb. ....23¢ | Pigs' Ears, lb.....5¢ | Shoulders, lb...23¢
Stickers, lb. ....18¢ | Pigs' Snouts, lb. 7¢ | Ox Tongues, lb. 23¢
Navel Ends, lb. 14¢ | Pigs' Head, lb. 12¢ | Brisket Pork, lb. 30¢

FOWL To Fricassee Lb.... 30c

Chickens Lb. ...38c | **Leaf Lard** Lb. 29c | **Chickens** Cut Up, Lb. ...30c

Tomatoes, can....17c | Snider's Ketchup ..... 25c | Ox Tails ..... 7c Each

PORK BUTTS, lb. **30c** | Beef Kidney, lb...12¢ Pigs' Liver, lb....9¢ Sliced Ham, lb...45¢ | Pigs' Kidneys, lb....9¢ Beef Liver, lb.....12¢ Soup Bones, lb....13¢ | BEEF BUTTS, lb. **27c**

Lamb to Stew 15c | Beef to Stew 22c | Veal to Stew 18c

LAMB CHOPS, Lb. ... **29c** | **STEAKS** VEIN, lb. .....35¢ ROUND, lb.....25¢ SIRLOIN, lb. ....30¢ RUMP, lb. .....55¢ | MUTTON CHOPS, LB. **23c**

TOMATOES, can 12¢
SHRIMP, can.....12¢
CORN STARCH, pg. 7¢
COMPOUND, lb...24¢
PEAS, can ..... 12¢

OLD DUTCH, can...7¢
BROOMS, each ..80¢
Gold Medal Flour, bag $1.35
CORN, can.....12¢

MINCE MEAT, pkg. 10¢
Campbell's Soup, can 9¢
CATSUP, Snider's Best .....25¢
TOMATOES, can 16¢

LIGHT HOUSE CLEANSER, can 4¢
RAISINS, pkg. ..10¢
Molasses, Wh. Riv. 10¢

Saunders' Market

$5.00 Paid Orders Delivered in City Free

BOLSHEVIKI TO FIGHT GERMANY

Papers Taken From Radek Disclosed Plans For Spartacan Uprising

Big Bolshevist Army Was To Attack the East Frontier Next Month

COPENHAGEN, Thursday, Feb. 13.—Papers and letters found in the home of Karl Radek, the Russian Bolshevik emissary, whose arrest by the Berlin police was announced yesterday, indicated that he was planning a Spartacan uprising in March throughout the country.

A Bolshevist army was planning to attack the east frontier at the date fixed for the uprising, it is said. Radek is reported to have been disguised in a German officer's uniform on many occasions.

Transformed French army airplanes are being used to bring Morocco within halfday of France.

Disturbed sleep usually comes from some form of indigestion. Strengthen the stomach and stimulate the liver with a course of

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Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Omega Oil For Sprains and Bruises

The first thing to do for a sprain or a bruise is to cover the hurt with a piece of flannel soaked with Omega Oil. Quick relief usually follows this simple treatment.

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Tan Leather Vests

AT ABOUT HALF PRICE **$4.85**

Some button up to the neck, while others are cut like a V. All are good protectors against the cold blast. February and March are the months when they are most needed for motoring and for any outdoor sport or work. Light in weight, thin, so your coat easily slips on over the vest. They are decidedly one of the most practical and useful garments ever conceived.

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All are smartest styles demanded by young men. All the conservatives. Blue, black and gray serges, dark worsted stripes and silk mixtures—some cassimeres.

SERGES $2.98
OTHERS TO.....$8.00
WORSTED $3.50
OTHERS TO.....$8.00
SILK MIXTURES.....$8.00
OTHERS TO.....$9.00
COTTON MIXTURES.....$1.98
OTHERS $2.98

FOR SOME UNUSUAL REASON

Boys' Suits Are Very Low

AT CHALIFOUX'S BASEMENT

BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS, in dark gray mixtures, sizes 6 to 18 years. $6.50 value. Special for.....$3.98

BOYS' JUVENILE SUITS, mixtures and corduroys, sizes 4 to 8 years, $5.00 value. Special $2.98

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CASH OR CREDIT ON THE MORRIS PLAN——PRICES ARE THE SAME

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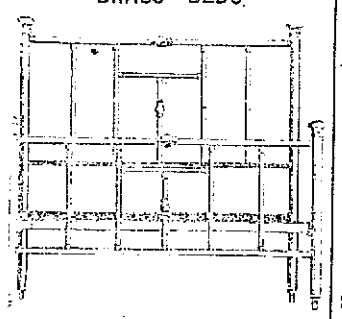
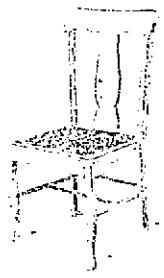


Beautiful Colonial bed, as illustrated, with heavy 2 inch posts and heavy filling rods, satin finish, all sizes.....$17.50

DINING CHAIR



Solid quartered oak dining chair, as illustrated, shaped bannister back and genuine leather slip seat $3.49

SLIDING COUCHES, sold complete with mattresses and pillows. All iron frame with National Spring top. Can be separated and will make two complete beds.....$12.50

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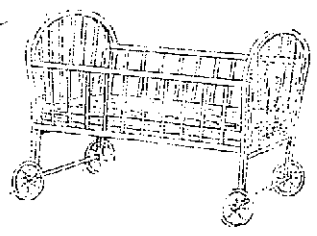

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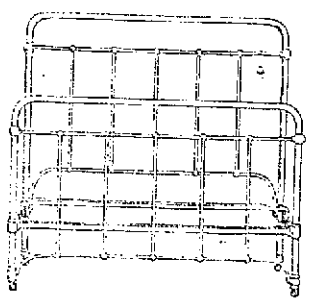

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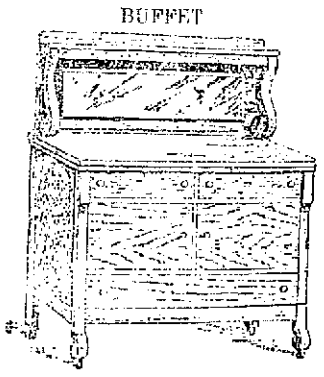

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Whether prices in general have reached their turning point and are going to come down, we do not know. We can say positively, however, that insofar as the price of coffee to be used within the next several months is concerned, there is still an upward trend.

This upward trend in the price of coffee is due to economic conditions which we analyzed quite in detail in a recent announcement in this newspaper. You will remember that we told you why coffee was about the only food product that stayed down in price during the [illegible] why the price began to go up the moment peace was in sight.

We explained the import restrictions which prohibited coffee roasters in this country from buying more than a three months' supply while prices were around normal. And we pointed out to you that as the stocks bought at noraml prices were used up and the new stocks for which roasters had to pay higher prices were drawn upon, you would have to pay more.

Every day, roasters—if they have been honest with the government—are obliged to use more and more of these high-cost coffees because the stock bought at lower prices is rapidly becoming exhausted. They are, therefore, obliged to advance their price to the retailers, who in turn must advance the price to you. **This is the reason why the retail price of coffee is advancing.**

These are conditions which are beyond the control of the coffee industry in this country. Therefore—

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Just go to your grocer and buy a pound of La Touraine. Watch him roll the ripe, perfectly blended and roasted beans out of the La Touraine bag into the grinder. **Ask him to grind them about as fine as granulated sugar.**

Then he will put the freshly-ground coffee back into the La Touraine bag for you.

Or perhaps you would prefer to grind the coffee in your own home. Either way, you can always be sure that the natural strength and flavor of La Touraine Coffee will be preserved for you in the beans.

And please remember this: If you are disappointed in what thousands of critical users have called "The Perfect Coffee," just send what remains in the bag to us at our expense and mention the name of the dealer who sold it to you. Then without question—**Your money will be promptly refunded.**

CHELMSFORD NEWS

No Increase in Tax Rate—Constable Resigns—Selectmen Organize

Despite the fact that the appropriations voted at the last annual meeting of the residents of Chelmsford, exceeded those of last year by $11,000, it is believed that the tax rate for 1919 will be the same if not lower than that of 1918. James P. Dunigan, chairman of the board of assessors, who makes his home in the North Village, told The Sun yesterday that in his opinion the tax rate will be reduced about 20 cents a thousand. He said the assessors will start on their annual tour of the town April 1 and it is believed that before they are through with their work they will have increased the personal and real estate property of the town about $100,000, and that will more than offset the increase in the appropriations voted at the recent town meeting.

Constable Will Resign

Fred T. Vinal, who at the last meeting of the board of aldermen was again appointed a constable for the North Village, will not hold the job throughout the year. He will remain in office until a case now pending in superior court is disposed of and then he will tender his resignation.

Mr. Vinal has been a member of the town constabulary about 15 years, during which time he has proven to be a very efficient officer. His last important arrest was about a month ago when he apprehended one of the young men who, it is claimed assaulted and robbed a resident of Graniteville, the alleged assault having taken place in the North village. It is this case that is now pending at the superior court. Mr. Vinal, who is overseer of the carpenter shop at the George C. Moore mill, states that he finds it very hard to manage both jobs and that remuneration from the town, 30 cents an hour, while one works, is not attractive enough. It is not known who his successor will be.

Board of Selectmen

At a recent meeting of the board of selectmen, Justin L. Moore was elected chairman, while D. Frank Small, who has held the office of chairman for the past three years, was chosen clerk of the board. It was a case of swapping jobs between Messrs. Small and Moore, for the latter was clerk of the board last year. Mr. Moore and his family are now enjoying a rest at Jacksonville, Fla., where they will sojourn the next couple of months.

Geo. C. Moore Mill

There is one organized body at the George C. Moore mill and that is the Wool Sorters' union and just for that its members are now enjoying a 48-hour week, while the other operatives of the mill are still on the old time schedule. It was learned yesterday that the wool sorters were the only ones to present a demand for a 48-hour week and their demand was granted, the new schedule of hours going into effect last Monday. They now start work at 7.15 a. m. and work until 12 m. Then they start in again at 1 p. m. and quit at 5 p. m. Saturdays they work from 7.15 a. m. to 11.30 a. m. The other employes of the mill work from 6.30 a. m. to 12 m. and from 12.30 to 5.30. Saturday they start at 6.30 and work until 12 o'clock. It is understood that the wool sorters will receive time and a half for all overtime.

Coal is Scarce

It was fortunate for some residents of the North Village that the Lowell coal dealers had plenty of coal on hand for there might have been what could be termed a small coal famine in the village. The North Chelmsford coal man is James P. Dunigan, who up to about two weeks ago has been in a position to fill the orders he had on hand, but a couple of weeks ago his supply ran out and he was forced to carry coal from local yards. He has had an order for five carloads at the mines for the past several weeks, but the freight congestion is such that his coal has not yet arrived. He expects, however, that his five carloads of the precious "nuggets" will roll into town before many days.

Silesia Mills

There has been no talk of a 48-hour week at the Silesia mills at North Chelmsford and accordingly the old working schedule is still in force. The mills employ about 350 hands and all seem satisfied with present conditions. When the armistice was signed the mills curtailed to four days a week but this week it is expected the operatives will be kept busy five days. Business seems to be picking up.

Wholesale Breaks

In relation to the two recent breaks at the North Chelmsford depot of the Boston & Maine railroad, one of the detectives of the railroad went to North Chelmsford in the early part of the week for the purpose of conducting an investigation. The visitor informed the town constables that he had no less than 11 railroad station breaks on his list during the past month in various parts of the state. It is believed that the breaks were committed by a gang that travels from town to town, for the Billerica Center station was broken into and the next night the North Billerica station was visited. A few nights later a visit was paid to the North Chelmsford depot, where the intruders got away with about $60 in cash. Last Friday night the North Chelmsford station was again visited and about $6 was taken. On the same night the station at Tyngsboro was broken into, but it could not be learned just what luck the thieves had in that place. The railroad and federal authorities are on the watch for the culprits, while the town constables are also keeping their eyes open.

Your Appearance

Depends a good deal upon your teeth. Whether you are employer or employe, you must make the best appearance possible and the teeth are the main contributors.

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Awards Presented by Sec. Baker—Rendered Meritorious Service During War

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Secretary Baker today personally presented to nine army officers and three civilians Distinguished Service medals awarded them by direction of President Wilson for exceptionally meritorious and conspicuous service during the war. The civilians are P. A. S. Franklin, chairman of the shipping control committee; Edward R. Stettinius, second assistant secretary of war, and Guy E. Tripp, assistant chief of ordnance.

The presentation took place in the secretary's office in the war department. The citations as published today in army orders follow:

Major General Frank McIntyre—as executive assistant to the chief of staff, his breadth of view and sound judgment contributed materially to the formulation and carrying out of policies essential to the operation of the military establishment.

Major General John L. Chamberlain—As inspector-general of the army he has by his highly responsible services materially contributed to the efficiency of all departments and bureaus of the military establishment and to the successful execution of the military program.

Major General Jesse I. McCarter—As chief of the militia bureau he conceived and directed the organization of the United States guards.

Major General Peter C. Harris—In the adjutant general's department, his zeal, energy and judgment have been made manifest by the reforms accomplished in record keeping systems.

Brigadier General William S. Pierce—While in charge of the Springfield arsenal, his exceptional ability contributed materially to increasing the output of small arms.

Brigadier General Richard C. Marshall—His zeal, judgment and exceptional administrative ability in the construction division of the army have enabled serious difficulties to be overcome.

Brigadier General Robert I. Rees—To his initiative and breadth of vision are largely due the successful measures for training enlisted men for special services and the establishment of student army training corps.

Brigadier General William H. Rose—While in charge of the engineer depot, he was charged with the system of purchase of supplies. His exceptional ability, judgment and resourcefulness are apparent in the efficient solution of the many difficult problems involved.

Col. Constant Cordier, general staff—While on duty as liason officer between the war department and the foreign military missions, he displayed the greatest discretion and ability.

P. A. S. Franklin—To his fine technical knowledge and energetic action is due, in a large measure, the efficient jurisdiction over dock facilities and floating equipment.

Guy E. Tripp, who as chief of the production devision of the ordnance deparment and later as assistant chief of ordnance, displayed fine technical ability and broad judgment in systemizing methods and practices, resulting in the efficient co-operation of industries producing articles of ordnance for the army.

Edward R. Stettinius, who, as director-general of purchases for the war department, second assistant secretary of war and special representative in France of the secretary of war in connection with the procurement of munitions for the American Expeditionary forces, rendered conspicuous services. His broad vision and splendid judgment have been of the greatest value to the success of the military problem.

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CLOSING ARGUMENTS IN BATES MURDER TRIAL

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 14.—The trial of Judgson Bates for the murder of Mrs. Edith Cole at Winslow last August, reached its final stage in the superior court today, the presentation of evidence having been completed at the close of the second day. Only the closing arguments and the judge's charge to the jury remained to be heard, and the case was expected to be in the hands of the jury by noon.

Agree on 13th

Continued

pastrd depended for satisfactory settlement upon the Society of Nations, which the conference pledged itself at the outset to organize. Thus it became the custom to give a patient hearing to everybody who came to Paris to present the claims of oppressed and dissatisfied peoples, and then refer the claims for justice to the Society of Nations to be created.

One prominent delegate explains that the conference took the position that to undertake to adjudicate all conflicting claims would be equivalent to creating a court and endeavoring in the act creating it to dispose of every possible case that might come before it for decision.

While the great project of a Society of Nations is under consideration by the various governments represented at the conference, preliminary to the final vote, the conference through its commissions, is expected to prepare a great mass of material relating to the many subjects that will make up the docket of the society.

Plan is Constitutional

As soon as the conference has relieved itself of this burden, it is expected to adjourn sine die. It has been said by a highly competent authority that the date of adjournment will be about June 1.

Nothing has been disclosed officially, as to the plan for the society, but in the opinion of American delegates, it is safe against attack on the ground of unconstitutionality. If it does involve an alliance requiring the use of American troops, in combination with those of other nations, against an offender against the law of nations, as laid down by the conference, it is recalled that there is precedent for such an alliance in a treaty between the United States and France more than a century ago. It is also pointed out by the authorities here that power is reserved to congress to carry out the pledge in its own way through its control of appropriations and war-making power. The senate, especially, has distinctive powers in its right to approve or disapprove treaties such as that which is necessary to give life to the Society of Nations.

Wilson Sails Tomorrow

Preparations have been completed for the homeward voyage of the presidential party, which will leave Paris tonight for Brest on a special train and sail tomorrow on the liner George Washington, on which it came to France. This time the party will be much reduced, the large staff of state department employes and numerous experts who came over with President Wilson remaining in Paris.

The party will comprise President and Mrs. Wilson, David R. Francis, ambassador to Russia; White House employes, secret service men, the 500 soldiers who have formed the guard around the Murat residence, Congressmen George White of Ohio, and P. D. Norton of North Dakota, and representatives of three news associations. It will number 319 persons. All the accommodations of the liner will be utilized, however, for not only will every cabin and stateroom be occupied but the vast hold will be filled with several thousand American soldiers who have seen service in France and who are going home to demobilization camps.

Agree on Wilson's Lucky Day

The agreement on the constitution for a Society of Nations by the commission which has been framing the plan, was effected on President Wilson's lucky day—the 13th—and there are just twice 13 articles in the document.

Leon Bourgeois, in giving France's adhesion to the Society of Nations today at the plenary session of the peace conference, planned to make certain reservations in the name of the French government, according to a Havas report. It is probable that before President Wilson leaves, the supreme council will desire to elucidate the attitude it will adopt relative to the Prinkipo conference with representatives of Russian governments.

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INTERNATIONAL ARMY PROPOSAL BEATEN

PARIS, Feb. 14.—(By Associated Press.)—The Bolshevik propaganda for an international military force to enforce peace was defeated by an overwhelming vote at the meeting of the Society of Nations commission yesterday. The French and Czecho-Slovak delegates alone supported Lenine in the amendment.

The final draft of the Society of Nations plan was then unanimously accepted as a whole. It consists of 26 articles.

The Japanese delegation proposed an amendment providing that racial discrimination should not be tolerated in immigration laws. Several delegates stated that this would open such a door to agitation that great delay might ensue and the matter was dropped without a vote.

SACRED HEART SOCIAL CLUB TO PUT ON BIG MINSTREL SHOW

AND AFTERPIECE

The Sacred Heart club will present a big minstrel show, with other features, at the school hall, Moore street, tonight and attention point to the affair being one of the best ever staged in the city. Many of the leading artists of the city are on the program, which has been well arranged and rehearsed. Among the participants are: Alex H. Masters, Edward Dolan, Marion McNaughton, May Boyd Carroll, George Kirwin, Deborah Kinnane, John Doyle, Charles Dulin, Sarah Swift, John H. McMahon, Mary Hanley, Katherine Sharkey, Timothy Finnegan, Fred Sharkey and the Eckland sisters, Lillian, Grace and Ann.

The entire show is in charge of William L. Howard. Mr. Timothy Finnegan will be interlocutor and George Freeman of Freeman's orchestra the accompanist. There will be a chorus of 60 mixed voices.

Huns To Disarm

Continued

Galicia natives is now discussing details of the new governmental program.

These points were made by Friedrich Ebert, the new president of Germany, in an informal talk with foreign newspapermen today. They answered questions of American and English correspondents asked after he had read a formal impromptu statement which virtually followed the lines of his address on Wednesday, in which he emphasized Germany's intention to rehabilitate herself.

Ebert Agrees to Answer

President Ebert was informality itself. Seating himself at a large table after having shaken hands with the group of correspondents present, he read his statement rapidly and then signified his willingness to answer questions.

The question of disarmament was first raised, since reports from the peace conference in Paris indicate that it is occupying a large place in discussion there. President Ebert frankly astonished his hearers by his declaration that a commission was already working on the problem. He said Germany in the future was going to have only an army of defense. It was at the very end of the talk that he admitted that this guard would be raised by conscription and he left the room before further details could be elicited.

To Protect Borders

He said that the contention that the borders of the country would be protected was groundless, admitted although he would welcome universal disarmament which would make such protection unnecessary. He declared that an understanding had already been reached by which various branches of industry would be united and operated socialistically, adding that only monopolized business would be socialized. In answer to a question relative to foodstuffs in Germany, he said he regarded the situation as very gloomy since the conditions were very hard. Germany, he said, had but a minimum number of foreign securities with which she could purchase food.

Gold Goes to Entente

"Our gold, as the whole world knows, has, in large part, gone to the entente," he said. "All the gold and securities now on hand would not suffice to cover more than the most urgent needs. Germany would be glad to repay honorably and uprightly as soon as possible. If food and raw material are furnished and Germany is given assistance toward rehabilitation, I believe the economic and general situation can be brought into an orderly and progressive path."

Bernstorff Not Going

Count Brockdorf-Rantzau, the foreign minister in the provisional cabinet; Dr. Edouardo David, the president of the national assembly and many persons experienced on economic lines, he said, would probably attend the peace conference for Germany. "But not Bernstorff" he added instantly to a questioner. It was the first time that Count von Bernstorff's participation which has been advertised freely, was denied authoritatively. The German peace delegates, President Ebert continued, would appear with definite proposals, including plans for a league of nations, workingmen's protective laws and a court to decide international disputes.

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Russian Jews Who Lived Here Few Years Head the Bolshevik Movement

Prof. Dennis Says Reds Plan To Come to America To "Pull Off Same Show"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Members of the Bolshevik central cabinet in Russia were described yesterday by Prof. Ralph Dennis of Northwestern university, testifying at the senate committee's inquiry into lawless agitation in this country, as "fairly able men who truly believed theirs was the best way to bring about heaven on earth."

"But their way to heaven seems to be through hell," commented Senator Wolcott of Delaware.

Mr. Denels, who was a Y.M.C.A. worker and consular agent in Russia from the fall of 1917 until last September, said there was no real sympathy between Germans and the Russian reds but "each group was trying to use the other." The Bolsheviki throughout Russia, he added, believed that the end justified the means.

Their theory, he said, might be expressed: "If you are not a Bolsheviki, get out. If you work against us, we will kill you."

He said he was impressed that men in positions of power among the Bolsheviki were to a great extent Russian Jews who had lived in America for a few years.

"These men," he said, "were the most bitter and implacable Bolsheviki in their desire to exterminate the bourgeois class."

Chairman Overman asked: "Do you know of any effort to bring that propaganda into this country?"

"I could not go into a court and prove it," replied the witness, "but after going to meetings in Chicago there is no question about the desire to bring about that scheme of government in America."

He described a meeting in the Chicago Coliseum, where an audience cheered the names of Lenine and Trotzky for five minutes and every comment by speakers to the effect that America would be the next nation to adopt the soviet system of government. The witness added that he saw no difference between the I.W.W. and the Bolsheviki in the ends they seek to accomplish.

Mr. Dennis said one Bolshevik official, a former resident of the United States, in bidding him good-bye in Russia, said:

"I'll see you in about 10 years. We are coming over to America and pull off this same show."

Mr. Dennis said that from his observations, he believed that persons interested in spreading Bolshevik propaganda probably have a pretty good organization extending from New York to San Francisco, with the country divided up into sections and certain men in charge of each section."

Questioned as to the attitude of Raymond Robins, head of the American Red Cross mission to Russia, concerning the Bolsheviki, Mr. Dennis said:

"As I understood Mr. Robins at that time (in Russia) his attitude was that of recognition of the Bolsheviki because they were the people in control. They seemed to be the only people who could run the show. He knew them all and kept in close touch with them."

Robert Leonard of Minnesota, formerly a Y.M.C.A. secretary and consular agent in Russia, described his experiences at the Russian front and in prison, where he was thrown for a few weeks by the Bolsheviki.

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HON. CHARLES O'CONNOR COMING

Hon. Charles S. O'Connor, of Boston, one of the ablest young orators in the Hub, will respond to a toast at the Washington day dinner of Bishop Delany, general assembly, fourth degree Knights of Columbus, according to an announcement made today. With the additional presence of Lieut. Paul Hines of the famous 26th Division, the assembly is fortunate, indeed, in its program of speakers. Mr. O'Connor is well informed and a close student of government and economic problems and the invitation to come to Lowell just nosed in ahead of a similar invitation from New York. As an after-dinner speaker, who talks with deep and absorbing interest, Mr. O'Connor has few equals and hence his response to a toast at the fourth degree dinner will be eagerly awaited.

HELPED TO FRAME CASE AGAINST MISS CAVELL

PARIS, Feb. 14.—French military authorities now hold, on a charge of dealing with the enemy, a man named Krein, who is alleged to have played a leading role in the tragedy in which Miss Edith Cavell lost her life.

A report made for Judge Advocate Grebault by Police Inspector Cholet states that Krein was in jail at St. Quentin at the beginning of the war. He was released by the Germans and went to the mansion of Prince and Princess Croy, in Belgium, and denounced them as having aided French prisoners of war to escape. As a result, the princess was condemned to 10 years' imprisonment at hard labor.

Krein is said to have then gone to Brussels, where he went into Miss Cavell's hospital service and helped to "work up" the case against her.

DANCE IN MIDST OF TERRIBLE MISERY

BERNE, Feb. 13 (By the Associated Press).—Dancing reigns supreme in Munich, despite the fact that coal, electricity and gas are lacking in the city and 10,000 persons are unemployed, wires the special correspondent in Berne of the Journal Geneve. The local newspapers protest against this orgy of amusement in the midst of terrible misery, but publish columns of advertisements of balls and dances in the hotels and cafes. Dances are even held in the former branch of the Krupp works.

$40,000 WORTH OF DRUGS SEIZED

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Between $30,000 and $40,000 worth of morphine and other drugs was seized by federal agents yesterday in a raid on the Rest Cure Sanitorium. Dr. Moritz Lowenthal was arrested on charges of unlawfully dispensing of narcotics.

NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

The list of New England boys on the casualty list today does not include the names of any Lowell boys.

Died From Accident and Other Causes

Ser. Harry Brenker, 50 East Albert st., Torrington, Conn.

Wounded Severely

Ser. Jos. Brown, Terryville, Conn.
Ser. Wm. H. Marshall, 13 Gladstone st., Everett, Mass.
Cor. James R. Conroy, 11 Church st., New Britain, Conn.
Cor. Harry N. Griffith, 56 Ralston ave., New Haven, Conn.
Cor. Paul G. Houstvet, 21 Bay View st., Quincy, Mass.
Cook Edw. J. Boggis, 16 Park st., Nashua, N. H.
Sec., Y.M.C.A. John E. Voorhees, 8861 Asylum ave., Hartford, Conn.
Pr. Jas. J. Cashman, 62 Columbia road, Swampscott, Mass.
Pr. James S. Cassidy, 35 South Main st., Ipswich, Mass.
Pr. John Christofore, 321 Revere st., Revere, Mass.
Pr. Jas. E. Connelly, 28 Raven st., Dorchester, Mass.
Pr. Harry Egan, Stamford, Conn.
Pr. Reuben S. Groves, R.F.D., No. 3, Nashua, N. H.
Pr. Levi O. Peterson, Bradley ave., Orange, Conn.
Pr. Wm. Zapaswick, 12 Sudbury court, Maynard, Mass.

Killed in Action

Gun. Clifford K. Meekins, 56 Derby st., West Newton, Mass.
Pr. John J. Conners, 79 Bridge st., Portsmouth, N. H.
Pr. Harold V. Parriquinn, So. Attleboro, Mass.

Died From Wounds

Cor. Clifford Cormier, 92 East Lark st., New Bedford, Mass.
Pr. Noel L. Bearor, 3 Clymer st., Burlington, Vt.
Pr. Anthony Dziorkosz, 116 Jefferson ave., Everett, Mass.
Pr. Sebastian Zanca, 67 Borden st., West Newton, Mass.

Died of Disease

Ser. Herman Gustafson, Proctor, Vt.
Pr. Otis C. Reed, Gorham, N. H.

Wounded Severely

Pr. Jos. C. Racigalupo, R.F.D., Box 33, Athol, Mass.
Pr. Frank R. Carlson, 40 Rockwell ave., Stamford, Conn.
Pr. Wm. C. Chippendale, 45 Harvard st., Fall River, Mass.
Pr. James Foley, 11 Marcella st., Cambridge, Mass.
Pr. James L. Leonard, 20 Dickinson st., Somerville, Mass.
Pr. Alfred Stiles, West Buxton, Me.

Missing in Action, Previously Reported Wounded Severely in Action

Cor. Michael J. Meirath, 258 Charles st., Malden, Mass.
Pr. John J. Keefe, Cottage st., New Hartford, Conn.

Killed in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Cor. John P. Duggan, 27 Melvin st., Wakefield, Mass.
Pr. Carl L. Coombs, 250 Lowell st., Reading, Mass.

Died From Wounds Received in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Cor. David Gallon, 305 East Main st., North Adams, Mass.

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Wounded Severely in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Zenzupas Cervaicjua, Enfield, Conn.

Wounded in Action (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Wm. E. Kenealy, 18 Edwin st., Dorchester, Mass.
Pr. Earl S. Randall, Feldville, Vt.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Ser. Israel Abramhoff, 546 Eastern ave., Malden, Mass.
Pr. Wm. Lonergan, 312 Plain st., Providence, R. I.
Pr. Fred Munroe, 3 Countess st., Haverhill, Mass.
Pr. Samuel J. Swain, Springfield st., Three Rivers, Mass.

Erroneously Reported Wounded Severely in Action

Ser. Frank Kartz, 515 Main st., Indian Orchard, Mass.
Pr. John Beranski, 51 Harvard st., Boston, Mass.

REPORTS OF HARDSHIPS ENDURED BY ALLIES IN SIBERIA UNTRUE

VLADIVOSTOK, Monday, Feb. 10.—(By Canadian Press)—Published reports of hardships endured by allied troops in Siberia this winter, are untrue, an investigation by the correspondent shows. Canadian troops held in Vladivostok are well housed in comfortable barracks and the weather on the Siberian coast is milder than in eastern Canada. Their health has been excellent.

The British units at Omsk suffered from severe cold. The chief complaint is of the infrequency of mail service and lack of home news.

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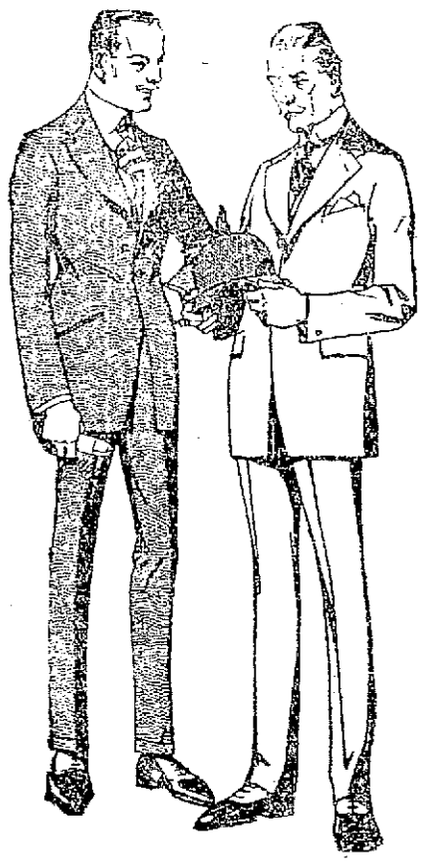

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United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and Four Other States, the Executive Council

President of United States To Call First Meeting—League To Take Any Action Necessary To Safeguard Peace of Nations—No Secret Naval or Military Plans

PARIS, Feb. 14.—The executive council of the proposed league of nations, as outlined in the covenant read by President Wilson today, will consist of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, with representatives of four other states.

The council shall meet as often as is necessary, but at least once a year at whatever place may be designated. Any matter within the sphere of action of the league or affecting the peace of the world, will be dealt with.

PRES. WILSON TO CALL FIRST MEETING

The president of the United States is to summon the first meeting of the body of delegates and the executive council.

The league will have a secretariat under the direction of a secretary-general who shall appoint the other members. The secretary-general shall act in that capacity at all meetings.

The representatives of the high contracting parties and the officials of the league shall have diplomatic privileges and immunity. The buildings occupied by the league or its officials shall enjoy extra-territorial benefits.

ADMIT ONLY SELF GOVERNING COUNTRIES

The admission of states signatory to the covenant shall be with the assent of not less than two-thirds of the states represented in the body of delegates and shall be limited to fully self-governing countries.

No state shall be admitted unless it gives effective guarantees to observe international obligations and unless it shall conform to conditions prescribed by the league in regard to its naval and military forces and armament.

PROTECTION AGAINST AGGRESSION

The high contracting parties undertake to respect and preserve the

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EBERT REPLIES HUNS TO DISARM

Complete Disarmament and Demobilization To Be Carried Out, Says President

Bernstorff Not Going to Conference—People's Army on Basis of Conscription

WEIMAR, Thursday, Feb. 13 (By the Associated Press).—Count von Bernstorff will not go to the peace conference as a German delegate; Germany plans for the time being at least a people's army on the basis of general conscription; Germany will announce within a few days her intention to carry out complete disarmament and demobilization and a commission made up of the centre, democratic and so-

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AGREE ON 13th, WILSON'S DAY

Final Draft of the Society of Nations Was Adopted Yesterday

Today's Session One of Most Important in History—International Army Beaten

PARIS, Feb. 14. (By the Associated Press.)—The plenary session of the peace conference to be held in the famous clock room of the foreign office this afternoon may mark the conclusion of the first and possibly the most important phase of the world's greatest international gathering. Subjects of great import are still to come before subsequent meetings, but in the opinion of qualified students of the history of other conferences, the adjournment of today's session may reveal that the foundation for the settlement of all questions that will follow has been laid.

The view taken by many delegates early in the conference was that nearly every important subject to be ad-

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STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Oils and shippings were again the features of today's stock market. Mexican Petroleum, Royal Dutch and Marine preferred gaining 1 to 2 points. Tobaccos, American Smelting and several high grade rails, notably Southern Pacific and Reading, advanced large fractions and New Haven made further recovery from yesterday's sharp decline. Baldwin Locomotive, Bethlehem Steel and Steel Foundry represented the firm to strong equipments and industrials. Liberty bonds were steadier.

Gains in oils and marine preferred were substantially increased during the first hour. Standard rails also showed further improvement. The advance extended to popular equipments, motors and specialties. United States Steel registered its best quotation of the week on a fractional advance to 91⅞. Coppers were irregular on another dividend reduction and lower prices for the metal. Realizing for profits caused average reactions of a point before noon.

A three point advance in Virginia-West Virginia deferred certificates accompanied advances indicating an early settlement of that long pending litigation. Changes in other stocks were confusing, except Marine preferred and Hide & Leather preferred, which exceeded their best prices of the morning.

Leaders, including rails and steels, experienced another reaction later, while Royal Dutch, Tobacco Products and speculative issues moved to higher levels. The closing was heavy.

Cotton Futures

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Cotton futures opened steady, March 22.45 to 22.55; May 21.55 to 21.67; July 21.20, October 19.70; December 19.56.

Futures closed steady, March, 22.32; May, 21.49 July, 20.95; October, 19.52; December, 19.32.

Spot steady; middling, 25.50.

New York Clearings

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Exchanges $675,244,792; balances $57,671,913.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Time loans firmer; 60 and 90 day, 5 to 5¼; six months, 5¼ to 5½. Call money, strong; high, 5½; low, 5; ruling rate, 5; closing bid, 5; offered at 5½; last loan, 5½; bank acceptances, 4½.

Final prices on Liberty bonds today were: 3½s, 99.86; first convertible 4s, 92.74; second 4s, 92.64; first convertible 4¼s, 94.84; second 4¼s, 93.84; third 4¼s, 95.08; fourth 4¼s, 93.90.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sug	68⅞	68⅞	68⅞
Am Can	44⅞	44½	44½
do pf	100½	100½	100½
Am Car & F	89¼	88½	89¼
*Am Cot Oil	42¾	42¼	42¾
Am H & L	18	17⅞	17⅞
do pf	92¼	90½	91¼
Am Smelt	65	64¼	64⅝
Am Sug	116½	115⅞	115⅞
Am Sumatra	104¾	103¼	103¼
Am Wool	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛
Anaconda	58⅛	57⅞	57⅞
Atch	91	91	91
do pf	86¼	86¼	86¼
At Gulf	96⅞	95¾	95¾
Baldwin	72⅝	71¼	71⅝
B & O	46½	45½	46½
do pf	54½	54½	54½
Beth Steel A	61⅝	61	61
do B	61¾	60⅝	60½
do pf $ pc	103¾	103¾	103¾
B R T	22½	22	22
Cal Pete	24⅛	23¾	23¾
do pf	69½	68½	68½
Can Pac	158	158	158
Cent Leather	59¾	59	59½
Ches & O	55	55	55
C & Gt W	7½	7½	7½
C R I & P	23¼	23¼	23¼
Col Fuel	36¼	36	36¼
Con Gas	92	92	92
Corn Prod	17½	17¼	17¼
Cru Steel	56	54¼	55
Cuba Cane	21½	21¼	21⅜
Dis Sec	56½	55½	55¾
Gen Motors	132½	130¼	130½
Gt N Ore ctf	38½	37⅞	37⅞
Int Nickel	27¼	27¼	27¼
Int Paper	40¼	39	40¼
do pf	68	68	68
Kennecott	30	29⅞	29⅞
Lack Steel	65	64⅞	64⅞
Lehigh Val	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞
Maxwell 1st	55½	55	55
do 2nd	22	22	22
Mex Pet	176¼	173	173¾
Midvale	42	41¼	41½
No Pac	21	20¾	21¾
Nat Lead	67¼	67¼	67¼
N Y Air B	96	96	96
N Y & N H	27½	26¾	27
No Pac	80½	80½	80½
Pac Mail	30½	30½	30½
Penn Coal	46	46	46
Pres Steel	61	61	61
Pullman	113	111⅞	112¾
Ry St Sp Co	72	72	72
Reading	75⅞	75	75¼
Rep I & S	73½	73	73
St. Paul	36⅝	36	36⅝
So Pac	100¾	99½	99½
So Ry	26¾	26⅝	26⅝
do pf	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞
Stude	52½	52½	52½
Tenn Cop	12½	12½	12½
Tex Pac	32⅞	32¼	32¼
U Pac	128	127½	127½
do pf	78¾	78¾	78¾
U S I Al	105¼	104	104½
U S Rub	76	75½	75½
U S Steel	91⅞	90¼	90⅞
do pf	114¾	114¾	114⅝
Utah Cop	68⅛	67⅞	67⅞
Va Chem	52	52	52
Wab	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
do A	31	31	31
Willys	25½	25⅛	25¼
Wes Un	87	87	87
Pan Am	71¼	70½	70⅝
P W V	35⅞	35⅛	35⅞

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Prices were irregular in the local stock market today. United Fruit sold down 1¼ soon after the opening and New Haven recovered more than a point. Other changes were fractional.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Ahmeek	70	70	70
Al Gold	3¾	3¾	3¾
Am T & T	101½	100¾	101½
Am Wool	48⅞	48⅛	48⅛
do pf	95	95	95
Bos El	69½	69	69
Cal & Ariz	59	59	59
Cent Steel	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Chino	33¾	33½	33¾
Cop Range	46¾	46¾	46¾
E Butte	9	9	9
Fairbanks	60½	58	58½
Greene Can	42	42	42
Inspiration	43¾	43½	43½
Island Oil	8	8	8
La Salle	25¼	25¼	25¼
Mass Elec	24½	24½	24½
do pf	41¾	41¾	41¾
Mass Gas	83	83	83
Mayflower	3½	3½	3½
Miami	22¼	22	22
Mich	25¼	25¼	25¼
Mohawk	50¾	50½	50¾
Nipissing	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
No Butte	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
Old Dom	21	21	21
Ray Con	20	20	20
Stewart	39½	39	39
Shannon	21½	21½	21½
Shat Ariz	11¼	11	11
Sup & Pos	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Swift & Co	122¼	121¼	122¼
U Cons	7¾	7¾	7¾
U Fruit	162¼	162	162¼
U Sh M	15½	15	15⅛
U S Smel	41½	41½	41½
Ventura	9¾	9½	9¾
Wolverine	18	18	18

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AT THE SIGN OF THE CLOCK—The Right Time to Buy

MRS. SKEELS OUT ON BAIL

Woman Charged With Murder Released on Account of Her Serious Illness

Permitted To Go to Home of Her Fiance—Trial Indefinitely Postponed

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Bessie May Skeels, who has been under arrest since last August, charged with the murder of Florence W. Gay, was released on $1000 bail today and permitted to go to the home of her fiance, Alfred J. Lundgren, in Andover. The necessary surety was furnished by Charles A. Salisbury, the county probation officer.

The release of Mrs. Skeels, which was said to be almost without precedent in this state was ordered by Chief Justice John A. Aiken of the superior court because of the woman's serious illness. At the same time officials announced that the trial, set for March 3, had been indefinitely postponed. The acceptance of the probation officer as surety was considered merely a formality.

Mrs. Skeels was employed as a nurse in the home of Miss Gay at Andover at the time of the latter's death from poison.

After her arrest, an indictment on a similar charge was found against Mrs Skeels in New Jersey, in connection with the death of a member of her family there.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

Locks and Canals Chief Engineer Recommends Release of Land on Common

Arthur T. Safford, chief engineer of the Locks and Canals, agreed this morning to recommend to the Proprietors of the Locks and Canals that they grant a release to the city of Lowell so that it may use certain land on the South common without restriction for the erection of an addition to the Edson school or an entirely new school.

The agreement was reached at a conference held in the office of City Solicitor William D. Regan. In addition to Messrs. Safford and Regan there were present William E. Badger, assistant engineer of the Locks and Canals, Mayor Perry D. Thompson and Richard Brabrook Walsh, chairman of the school committee.

TO CALL SYMPATHETIC STRIKE IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—The committee in charge of the strike of textile operatives here who are seeking to enforce demands for 54 hours' pay for 48 hours' work, voted today to take steps looking toward the calling of a general sympathetic strike throughout the city. The meeting was private and the announcement gave no details.

The statement also said that the matter of demanding pay for all the time that the operatives are on strike was discussed.

U. S. PAYMASTERS ARE ROBBED OF $12,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Two assistant paymasters of the United States shipping board were held up and robbed of $12,000 in the heart of Brooklyn, today, according to a report received at police headquarters.

Meagre information available was to the effect that the robbers employed a taxicab.

MAKE VICTORY LOAN MORE ATTRACTIVE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Secretary Glass yesterday told the house ways and means committee that it was apparent "something must be done to make the bonds or notes of the Victory Liberty loan more attractive than their predecessors," and asked that congress give him authority to fix interest rates and determine exemptions from taxation according to financial conditions existing when the loan is floated in April.

TIGHTEN REGULATIONS AGAINST FRATERNIZATION OF GERMANS AND U. S. SOLDIERS

COBLENZ, Thursday, Feb. 13. (By the Associated Press.)—Further evidence of American determination to prevent the intermingling of Germans and men of the army of occupation was given today in the issuance of orders forbidding American soldiers to patronize German doctors. Regulations against fraternization are still strictly enforced and today's order was in line with that forbidding the local purchase of foodstuffs.

Local newspapers express satisfaction with the establishment of the new German government, but the increasing food shortage seems to arouse more popular interest. A slight, but virtually insignificant increase in the meat supply has been made possible by an order directing the sale of condemned American army horses. The shortage of milk, according to statements by physicians, is being reflected in the health of babies. Local appeals have been made to the people to use as little milk as possible, even though ill. The milk consumed by babies in Coblenz is now 3150 quarts daily. Before the war, this consumption, as shown by statistics, was 23,320 quarts.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN

Charles H. Bull, a carpenter with a shop at 127 Market street and residing in Dracut, has reported to the police that his Ford touring car was stolen from the corner of Market and Palmer streets at about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Massachusetts registration on the car is 33053, while the maker's number is 2554983. On one side of the car are the initials, "M. E.E." and there is a new tire on the rear right wheel of the machine.

DISCHARGED FROM DEVENS

The following men were discharged from Camp Devens yesterday: William Raney, Alfred Gervais, Israel Massey, Joseph Dufour, William Wyman, Joseph Brancounier, Joseph Marcotte, Joseph Duguay and Richard Philips.

RAIN BREAKS OUR "DRY BONE" SPELL

Lowell has anticipated the solons congress and has inaugurated h "dry" era several months before t time designated by that august bod But unfortunately, she fell off t wagon today and is once more enve oped by the "wet" element.

The answer is that not a drop rain fell in Lowell from Jan. 23 until this morning or a period of days, which is an unusual stretch f this time of the year. The drouth w interrupted a little on Jan. 29 wh there was a measly snow storm, b there has not been an out and out ra storm since Jan. 23.

Tho unusually excellent weath which has been enjoyed all winter typified by these facts. This mornin however, the city's thirst got the be ter of her and there was a fairly co stant drizzle all forenoon.

CATCH TWO MEN WITH TWENTY FIVE QUARTS OF WHISKEY AT NASHUA

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 14.—Charge with bringing liquor into the stat Kazemer Pienkonis and Julius Kita niko were arrested last evening as the got off the train from Lowell. They we carrying 25 quarts of whiskey into th city. The pair was taken to Concor today for arraignment before the U. commissioner there.

COMMUNICATION

Feb. 12, 1919.

Editor, Sun.

Dear Sir: The operators of the loc exchange would appreciate it ver much if you would allow space i your valuable paper for the followin communication:

The local telephone operators ar justly aroused over the cynical impres sion of a telephone operator at wor as enacted in the play "It Happened i Lowell." The whole gist of the pla produced a decidedly incorrect impres sion of the local operators. The lead ing character of the above-mentione burlesque proved to be a chaotic com bination of "wads of gum," "Bower slang," "scandal receptors," and othe unfavorable impressions.

Now the operators concede that i was not the malicious intention in th writing and production of this play t create such a crude personality as a animated reflection on the local opera tors. Nevertheless they do deeply th lack of tact shown by the parties re sponsible for the fiasco.

The success of the efforts of the op erators to maintain their "service first" motto, is too hard won to have thei calling made an object of ridicule.

We thank you, Mr. Editor, in ad vance for your kindness in allowin this protest to reach the public, an remain Yours respectfully,

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CAPS BISMARCK'S POLICY

Scheidemann Warns New Germany To Profit by His Mistakes

COPENHAGEN, Thursday, Feb. 13.—Phillipp Scheidemann, a member of the provisional cabinet of Germany, attacks Prince Bismarck's conception of foreign affairs, in an interview with the Zeitung Am Mittag of Berlin. He says that Bismarck's policy was a failure almost everywhere, and adds:

"We had to pay for its mistakes in North Schleswig and in Alsace and Lorraine."

"The policy of new Germany," he continues, "must be based, not as Bismarck planned, on opposition to, but in harmony with Austria, not in the slender pillar of egotistical might of a single federal government but on the broad democratic basis of the united will of all the German tribes.

"The league of nations has warmest supporters in Germany. We hope America will succeed in convincing other countries that it is to the interest of the entire world that, instead of a heap of ruins in the center of Europe, there should be a newly constructed social democracy. Not in Russia, but in Germany, will the socialist solution of the labor question be found. The heavier the conditions imposed upon Germany, the quicker will Bolshevism spread. World chaos is preferable to slow death by torture.

"The entente may conclude a peace corresponding to its interests, but for us there are limits beyond which it is impossible to go."

The interview concludes with an expression of deep regret that Germany's position is almost nowhere appreciated abroad.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., Feb. 14.—John O. Stevens, secretary of the Postal-Cable Co. since 1886, died here today. He was 79 years old.

CHATHAM, Feb. 14.—Steamer Sasenheim, laden with sugar from Cuba for Boston went aground on Handkerchief shoal in the thick weather last night and was in a serious situation today with a northeasterly gale blowing and the seas beating heavily.

LAWRENCE, Feb. 14.—Vincenzo Issarella of Haverhill was sentenced from 13 to 15 years in state prison by Judge Thayer in superior court here today, he pleading guilty to causing the death of Viedo Rocco of Haverhill by shoting him during a dispute over a game of cards.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus held a meeting last evening and discussed the annual charity ball. A committee of ten was appointed to look after arrangements and the date of the event will be announced later. In the course of the meeting it was announced that Dr. James J. Walsh, a speaker of wide reputation, will come to Lowell March 31 as the guest of the organization and will give a lecture on "Marshal Foch." The lecture will be public. Dr. Walsh is now on a tour of the country under the auspices of the national council of the K. of C.

MATZOTHS FOR JEWISH SOLDIERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Every Jewish soldier or sailor overseas, on shipboard or in the United States will be provided with matzoths during the week of the Passover, beginning April 15, by the Jewish welfare board. An order has been placed with the Jewish consistory of France for 100,000 pounds of matzoths. The board is also arranging Passover services for soldiers and sailors.

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IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Woman Who Fell Down Flight of Stairs Now at Corporation Hospital

Mrs. Alma W. Fisher, an elderly lady residing at 173 School street, is in a serious condition at the Lowell Corporation hospital as a result of falling down a flight of stairs in the building known as the Keefe block at Broadway and School streets about 5.30 yesterday afternoon. Her left shoulder was dislocated by the fall and the hospital officials report that a hemorrhage has developed. She was in a very serious condition this afternoon.

As far as can be learned Mrs. Fisher was intending to visit a Mrs. Benton on the second floor of the place in question but did not see her. Whether she was attacked by illness or stumbled is not known, but she was found in the lower corridor of the building by a Mrs. Riley. The ambulance was summoned and the woman sent to the Corporation hospital.

DR. RODGER APPOINTED BACTERIOLOGIST

Dr. James Y. Rodger was today appointed bacteriologist for the city of Lowell by Mayor Perry D. Thompson, the appointment to take effect at once.

Dr. Rodger succeeds Dr. Marshall L. Alling, who left the position last spring to enter the national service. In the interim, Dr. T. E. Smith has been performing the duties of the office temporarily. The new bacteriologist has just returned from France where he served as a lieutenant in the medical corps of the 26th division. He saw considerable experience "over there." Previously, he had specialized in bacteriology and has been deeply interested in it since his return from the front. He was endorsed by the state board of health for the position and his name was taken from the civil service list.

VOTE TO RETURN TO WORK AT BUTTE

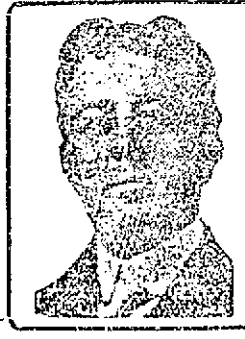
BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 14.—Machinists made the first break in the strike of copper miners when they voted to return to work today after a three days' report, taken on sympathy with members of the Butte Metal Miners' union (independent) and the Metal Mine Workers' Industrial union No. 800, who are on strike to protest against the recent cut in wages of $1 a day.

INSPECT N. H. COLLEGE

DURHAM, N. H., Feb. 14.—Many members of the legislature and state officials came to New Hampshire college today on a visit of inspection. They arrived early on a special train from Concord and an all-day program of demonstrations, exhibits and entertainment was provided by the faculty and students. It was the first visit of the legislature as a body to the institution.

WILSON ADDRESSES AMERICAN PEACE DELEGATIONS BEFORE SEEING PARIS

PARIS, Feb. 14.—President Wilson arrived at the Hotel de Crillon at 10 o'clock this morning and immediately called a meeting of the American peace delegation. He addressed the meeting and went over with the other delegates the ground already covered and discussed their attitude during his absence in the United States.



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SAYS ALLIES TO QUIT RUSSIA

Sen. Hitchcock Predicts Withdrawal of Troops After Conference

Sen. Lodge Calls Campaign Waste of American Lives —Hot Debate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Prediction that the proposed conference at Princes' Islands between representatives of the victorious associated nations and the contending Russian factions would result in an agreement for withdrawal from Russia of American and allied troops was made in the senate yesterday by Senator Hitchcock, chairman of the foreign relations committee during another spirited debate on the American policy toward Russia.

Senator Hitchcock said he believed all the foreign expeditions in Russia "would come out together," under an agreement with the Russian representatives, which would prevent "butchery of troops left in Russia which have been friendly to the allies."

Discussion of the Russian situation was opened by Senator Johnson, republican, of California, who asked for immediate action on his resolution which put the senate on record as favoring withdrawal of the American Russian expedition as soon as practicable.

Lodge and Lewis Clash

After vehement argument and clashes between Senators Hitchcock and Johnson, objection by the former to an immediate vote sent the resolution to the calendar, with a majority vote necessary for its further consideration.

Senator Johnson declared last night after the senate had adjourned that he would continue his fight daily until congress adjourns March 4, by introducing new resolutions as required by parliamentary rules.

During the day's debate, the sharpest of many months in the senate, Republican Leader Lodge and Senator Lewis of Illinois, democratic whip, differed regarding the statement of Premier Lloyd George to parliament that the American government had refused to send more troops to Russia. Senator Lodge said the premier's announcement apparently was authentic and was the first definite statement as to the American policy, while Senator Lewis insisted that Mr. Lloyd George was divulging the decision of the supreme war council and not merely the American policy.

Johnson Resents Bolshevist Charge

In asking immediate consideration of his resolution Senator Johnson made another impassioned attack on the policy of American intervention in Russia, denouncing it as "unusual, vicious and criminal."

Disclaiming sympathy with the Bolshevik government and denouncing their atrocities, Senator Johnson resented a suggestion from Senator Hitchcock that he acted as a "champion" of the Bolshevik element in Russia.

Senator Hitchcock made his reference in presenting the friendly message sent by President Wilson to the Soviet government and the reply, which Senator Hitchcock denounced as "practically an insult" and German propaganda designed to incite rebellion in this country.

Defending American intervention in Russia, Senator Hitchcock said it was an anti-German military move agreed upon with the allied governments. He asserted that the Johnson resolution would not expedite withdrawal of the American forces and favored its reference to the foreign relations committee.

Waste of American Lives, Says Lodge

Both Senators Johnson and Lodge emphasized that Mr. Lloyd George had given what they termed the first authentic statement of the American policy in Russia. Mr. Lodge declared that the Siberian expedition was justified, but said the intervention was too weak to be forceful. He said the northern Russian expedition was "a pure waste of American lives," and the expedition should have been withdrawn when the armistice was signed.

Senator Johnson charged that his original resolution, introduced last December, asking for an official statement of the American policy regarding Russia had been "bottled up" in the foreign relations committee. Senator Hitchcock denied this, and Senator Lodge supported him in the statement that this resolution had been carefully considered, but that a majority of the committee opposed reporting it to the senate.

Some time after the Johnson resolution was sent to the calendar, Senator Lewis revived the subject by deploring an impression which he said might be gained from Senator Lodge's comment on Premier Lloyd George's statement.

Had Information the Senate Lacked

"It may be charged," said Senator Lewis, "that this country has to look to England for a statement of American policy. Such a statement if accepted at its face value would rob the president of the confidence of the people who might assume the United States had yielded its policies to England.

"In a matter where the allied council has acted, it is natural that any of the council should speak. The president has spoken the policy of the league of nations. Lloyd George is spokesman of one of the trinity of powers. Lloyd George spoke as one of the council and of the policy of the council and was not speaking of the policy of this country."

Senator Lodge denied that Lloyd George was outlining the war council's policy and insisted that he was stating, if quoted correctly, the American policy.

"I suppose he got his information from the president while he was at Paris," said Mr. Lodge. "Not that he was dictating American policy, but he had information that we had not."

SERVICE MEN'S BILL PASSES SENATE

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—The bill to appropriate $10,000 for aiding returning soldiers, sailors and Marines to find employment was passed to be engrossed in the state senate yesterday afternoon after a sharp debate.

Discussion started when Senator Beck of Chelsea sought to have an amendment adopted which would provide for a committee of the legislature, instead of the members of the executive council, to join the governor's own committee in carrying out the purposes of this order.

Senator Beck said if the executive council were to be given such authority it would have greater power than the constitution intended it should have. He charged the council with having "interposed unduly" at a time when a drive was made against paying members of recess committees $1000 "despite the fact that the general court desired that sum paid, in that it appropriated money to that extent."

Senator Gifford of the Cape and Plymouth district said the measure had been hastened through both branches because it was the general belief that all elements in the community desired decisive action.

Senator Cavanaugh of Everett, indorsing the amendment, said the passage of the order in its original form would result in the appointment of some board "composed of experts who will give the boys advice as to what sort of work they are fitted for, but no jobs."

Senator Churchill of Amherst expressed the opinion that it would be inconsistent of the senate, after having acceded to the governor's wishes in the past, were to say to him that it was unwilling the money be spent partly under his direction.

By a rollcall vote of 17 to 11 the amendment was rejected. The bill was thereupon passed to be engrossed.

Liquor License Bill

Bills authorizing the issue of liquor licenses for part of a year and authorizing Canton to incur indebtedness to the extent of $70,000 to meet loss of funds by the defalcation of a town official, were passed to be engrossed.

The committee on legal affairs reported recommending leave to withdraw on the bill permitting public six-round boxing bouts in cities of more than 40,000 inhabitants. A similar report was made by the committee on public health on the petition of the Dorchester board of trade to make tenants as well as landlords liable for the sanitary condition of buildings.

The joint committee on rules reported recommending several changes in the joint rules, all of which are designed to conform with the requirements of the initiative and referendum amendment of the constitution, adopted by the voters last fall.

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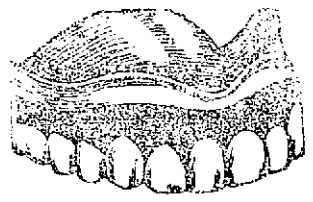

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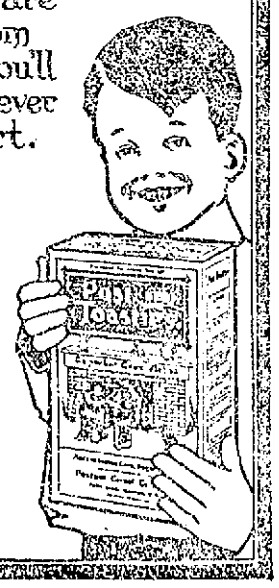

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SECOND FLOOR

President Wilson Reads Covenant on League of Nations

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territorial integrity and political independence of all states members of the league, against external aggression. In case of any such aggression or any threat or danger of such aggression, the executive council shall advise upon the means by which the obligations of the members shall be fulfilled.

PROVIDES FOR ARBITRATION

The high contracting parties reserve the right to take any action to safeguard the peace of nations in the case of war or threat of war. In the case of disputes arising between them which diplomacy cannot adjust, the high contracting parties will not resort to war without submitting to arbitration or to any inquiry by the executive council and until three months after action by the arbitrators or the executive council.

COURT OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE

The executive council shall formulate plans for the establishment of a permanent court of international justice.

The covenant says that the maintenance of peace will require the reduction of armaments to the lowest point consistent with national safety and the enforcement of international obligations by common action.

REDUCTION OF ARMAMENTS

The executive council shall fix the extent of armaments and these shall not be exceeded without the permission of the council.

It is agreed that the private manufacture of munitions and implements of war "lends itself to grave objections." The executive council is directed to give advice on the abatement of this evil.

The contracting parties undertake not to conceal their ability to produce munitions and armaments and agree on a full interchange of information as to military and naval programs.

VIOLATIONS ON ACT OF WAR

Article XVI provides that if any party breaks or disregards its covenants under Article XII, which provides for arbitration or inquiry by the executive council, it shall be deemed to have committed an act of war against all the other members who will take economic and financial measures against it. These measures will refer both to members of the league and those who are not members.

In such a case it will be the duty of the executive council to recommend the amount of naval forces which each member of the league shall contribute to the armed forces necessary to protect the covenants of the league.

The members of the league agree to support one another financially and economically in any measure taken and also to afford passage through their territory of any forces necessary to carry out the covenants of the league.

In disputes between a member of the league and a state not a member or between states not members of the league, the contracting parties agree that the states not members of the league shall be invited to lay their disputes before the league.

Supervise Traffic in Arms

If states invited to allow the league to adjust their disputes refuse, any action against a state a member of the league would be deemed to be an act of war against all the other members of the league.

The contracting parties agree that the league shall have general supervision of traffic in arms and ammunition with countries in which such traffic would be against the common interest.

Colonies and territories removed from the sovereignty of the states which formerly governed them and not yet able to stand by themselves shall become the trust of civilization.

The tutelage of such countries shall be entrusted to the advanced nations which can best undertake this responsibility acting as mandatories in behalf of the league.

Permanent Bureau of Labor

The contracting parties will endeavor to secure and maintain fair and humane conditions of labor for men, women, and children and agree to establish as part of the organization of the league a permanent bureau of labor.

Freedom of the Seas

The members of the league agree to secure and maintain freedom of transit and equitable treatment for the commerce of all members of the league.

It is also agreed to place under control of the league of international bureaus general treaties of the parties to the treaties consent.

Obligations Abrogated

All treaties or international engagements entered into hereafter by a member of the league shall be registered with the secretary-general and shall not be binding until registered.

The contracting parties agree that the covenant abrogates all obligations among themselves which are inconsistent with the terms of the covenant. They engage that hereafter they shall not enter into any engagement inconsistent with the covenant.

If any member shall enter into engagements inconsistent with the covenant, it shall be the duty of such power to secure its release from such obligations.

The concluding article provides that amendments to the covenant shall take effect when ratified by the states represented in the executive council and by three-fourths of the states whose representatives compose the body of the delegates.

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ENGLAND FACES SERIOUS CRISIS

Veteran Labor Leaders Warn Government That Quick Action Is Necessary

Domestic Problems Command More Attention Than Peace Conference

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The demands of miners and railway men, with the high cost of food and other problems of domestic reconstruction, command more attention from the newspapers than the peace conference. The veteran labor leaders, William Brace and J. H. Thomas, told the house of commons last night that the country would be confronted by the most serious crisis in recent history if these problems were not dealt with immediately.

After the decision of the miners' federation to call for a strike ballot, the federation has issued an official reply to the government's statement regarding the miners' demands. This document charges the government with trying to turn public opinion against the miners and refuses to accept the data upon which the government based its offer of a shilling a day increase in wages. It says the miners' demands for a 30 per cent increase, with a six hour day, is designed to raise their standard of living and not solely to meet the increased cost of living. These points are supported by long arguments, while the demand for the nationalization of the mining industry is reiterated.

Most of the newspapers consider that the government is dealing very reasonably with the miners, and say that the miners are unreasonable in placing a short time limit for a decision on a policy like nationalization, which may mean the changing of the basic foundations of the industry, upon which other important industries largely depend.

The influence of Robert Smillie, the miners' leader, is so great that his advice to members of the federation to vote in favor of a strike is likely to be adopted unless the tension is relieved during the month that the ballot is held up, pending some acceptable compromise. In the event of a strike the Mail's labor expert remarks, the country may be confronted by a "wholesale industrial disaster and such suffering among the poor as even the war failed to inflict."

In the meantime, negotiations between the Transport Workers' Federation and the employers seem to have although a break has not come as yet, reached something like an impasse.

DANCE AT JEWISH WELFARE HUT

Doughboys still limping as the result of getting in the way of some Hun shrapnel; doughboys proudly wearing on their breast the Croix de Guerre; and just plain doughboys, who went overseas to do their bit to make the world safe for democracy, made up the gathering which parked the Jewish Welfare hut at Camp Devens last evening and tripped the light fantastic with over two score Lowell young women of the Y.W.H.A., who had journeyed to the cantonment to take their part in the event.

The affair was run under the auspices of the local Jewish Welfare board and was unanimously pronounced one of the most successful parties, from the boys' point of view, that this organization has conducted at the cantonment. The music was furnished by a jazz orchestra composed of colored troopers, who had all seen service overseas, and was all that could be desired.

The committee in charge of the affair was composed of Mrs. I. Green, Mrs. Bennett Silverblatt, Mrs. Louis Carp, Miss Mae Levine, Mrs. Ida Frank, Miss Dorothy Braverman and Miss Fannie Silverblatt.

FINANCE DEPT. STATEMENT

The December, 1918, statement of the finance department has just been issued and contains a number of items of general interest.

In the mayor's department there appears the fact that $110 was expended for a new typewriter. Dwyer & Co. were paid $438 on their contract for painting the isolation hospital. Various expenses associated with the influenza epidemic amount to $5061.32. The largest item included in the bill paid to the Page Catering Co. for lunches, amounting to $1193.37.

"There are Smiles"

When father is well fed, also when he knows he has a thrifty housekeeper. You can be thrifty and still be a good provider if you trade at FAIRBURN'S.

CHICKENS
Fresh Killed, Fatted Stock, Pound..... 43c
LEGS OF MILK FED VEAL 25c Lb.

BRITT'S Powdered AMMONIA — Each package equals 3 bottles of Ammonia in strength. 10c Pkg.

BLUE TIP MATCHES — Will strike anywhere. No afterglow. 5 for 26c

HEINZ TOMATO KETCHUP (33c size) 27c

ELGIN BUTTER — Fancy Creamery, lb	53c
FRESH EGGS — Every egg guaranteed good, doz	53c
TOILET SOAP — Snowberry—it floats—100% pure. Cake	5c
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR — 12-lb. bag; easy to carry	75c

BREAD
FRESH FROM THE OVEN
LARGE LOAF
1 Pound, 8 Oz. Weight
Loaf 12½c
FOR SATURDAY ONLY

PORK ROASTS — Light pig pork, any size, lb	30c
FRESH SHOULDERS — Small—4 to 6 lbs.—Lb	27c
CALVES' LIVER — Freshly cut and very tender, lb	25c
PICKLES — Dawson brand, medium size, jar	10c
BAKED BEANS — Van Camp's, 22c size, can	17c

TANGO SARDINES (Ravigot style) — Nicely spiced and very appetizing. 15c Value — 2 Cans 25c

GEISHA CRABMEAT — Finest crabmeat packed—all white meat. One Pound Size — 70c Can

SIRLOIN ROASTS — As fine as you ever ate, lb	35c
RIB ROASTS — Cut from heavy beef, lb	25c
LEGS OF LAMB — Rather high this week—but good—Lb	42c
FOWL — Freshly killed, fancy, lb	42c

ALL STEAKS ARE LOWER

FANCY VEGETABLES

NATIVE SPINACH, pk	45c
SWEET POTATOES, lb	10c
FANCY WASHED CARROTS, 3 lbs.	10c
CAULIFLOWER, lb	12½c
ONIONS, large, lb	4c

TOMATOES and DANDELIONS

FLORIDA ORANGES — Large Pineapple brand, doz	49c
GRAPEFRUIT — Choice fruit—3 for	25c
POP CORN — 1-lb. packages, each	15c

"Leda" Coffee at 35c Is Cheap

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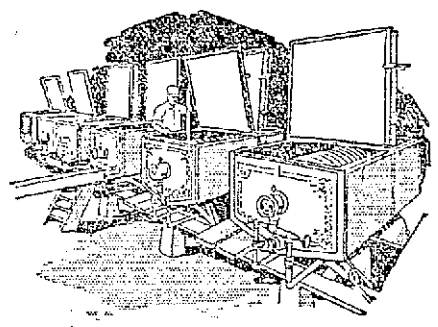
12-14 MERRIMACK STREET
On the Square Where You Get Your Car



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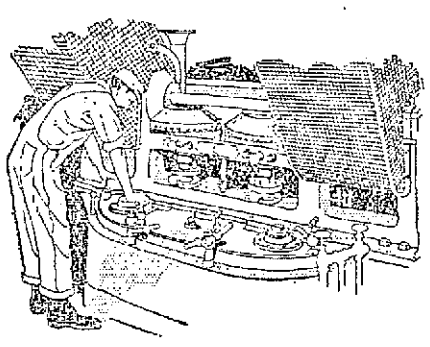

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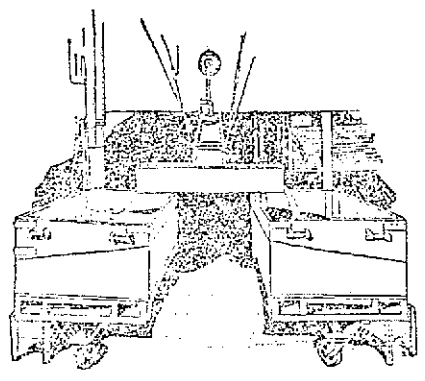

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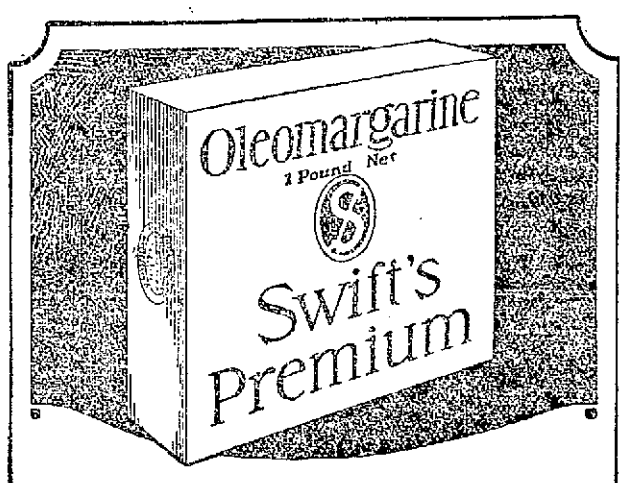

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The illustrations in this advertisement visualize the process of manufacturing Swift's Premium Oleomargarine.

It is not touched by hand in manufacture or packing.

The machinery is sterilized daily with hot water and live steam.

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It contains the elements for growth which all children require.

It is delicious. It is wholesome.

Swift's Premium Oleomargarine is easy to buy. It is the most widely distributed brand.

It saves 20 cents or more a pound.

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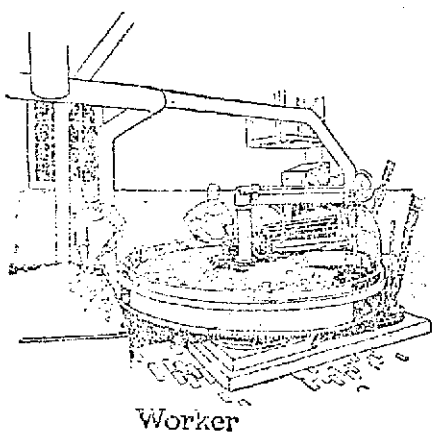

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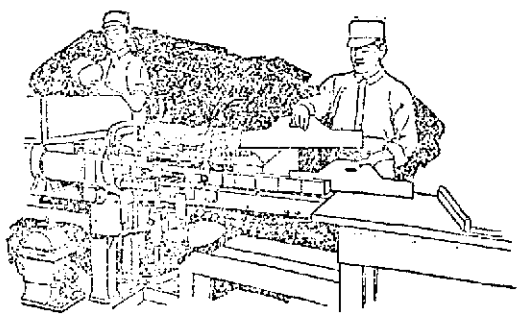

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WOMAN HELD IN $6000

Six Additional Charges of Breaking and Entering and Larceny Against Girl

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Six additional charges of breaking and entering and larceny were preferred today in the Roxbury district court against Mabel E. Norris, who was arrested last week, charged with the theft of jewelry and clothing from several women's educational institutions and clubs in the Back Bay district. She pleaded not guilty to the latest accusations and was held for the grand jury. At the request of the police, bail was increased from $5000 to $6000, and she was sent to jail in default of bonds.

Police officers from Wellesley and Arlington were in court today with warrants charging the young woman, who is but 19 years of age, with larcenies in those towns.

Officers have been able to learn little regarding the girl since her arrest.

RETAIN WAR WAGES

Plea Made in Reconstruction Report by National Catholic War Council

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Adoption of minimum wage schedules, maintenance in general of the wage levels attained during the war and permanent establishment of the national war labor board and the United States employment service were advocated as essentials of a just reconstruction in a report made public yesterday by four Catholic bishops, constituting the administrative committee of the National Catholic War council.

While favoring, in the interest of health and morality, prohibition of child labor and reduction to the smallest practical limits of the employment of women in industry, the committee urged equal pay for women doing equal work with men.

It declared also for insurance of workers against illness, old age and unemployment until wages are high enough to tide over such periods, for abolition of monopolies, for continuance of heavy taxes on large incomes and excess profits, for co-operative merchandising in necessities to reduce the cost of living and for government-assisted colonization of unoccupied farm lands by demobilized soldiers and sailors.

As a measure outside its present reconstruction program, but of value in solving the problems of capital and labor, the committee urged gradual participation by labor in the management and eventually in the ownership of industry.

The report was issued in the names of Bishops Peter J. Muldoon of Rockford, Ill.; Joseph Schrembs of Toledo, O.; William T. Russell of Charleston, S. C., and Auxiliary Bishop Patrick J. Hayes of New York.

Declaring that "the deep unrest so emphatically and widely voiced throughout the world is a most serious menace," the bishops held up "social justice and a contented people" as the only safeguard of peace.

They rated the national war labor board as "one of the most beneficial governmental organizations of the war."

"Flu" epidemic in Paris last year caused 6267 deaths.

An enemy mine was recently discovered in Cook Strait, New Zealand.

For Colds, Grip and Influenza

Take

"Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets"

Be sure you get the Genuine
Look for this signature

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Removes Grease and Fruit Stains from Fabrics, and Cleans White Kid Gloves.

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4000 TROOPS ARRIVED TODAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The steamship Finland arrived today from St. Nazaire with 3553 troops, of whom 923 were sick and wounded. Most of the troops were casuals and included contingents from Connecticut and Massachusetts. Base hospital No. 18, and the brigade headquarters of the 34th Coast Artillery Corps also were on board. Brig. Gen. Daniel W. Ketchain was in command of the troops.

The cruiser Charleston arrived from Brest with 1271 troops, including the field and staff headquarters and supply company, medical and ordnance detachments and batteries A, B, D, E, and F—340 officers and 1196 men—of the 50th Regiment (regular army) of the Coast Artillery Corps.

Features for The Sunday Supplement of THE SUN Tomorrow

Lieut. Woodles' Second Chapter

Hundreds of people have expressed pleasure at being able to read Lieut. Arthur Woodles' own story of his air adventures, in The Sun, the first instalment of which was published in the Sunday Supplement last week. Do you remember the thrill of horror which spread over the land because of the number of deaths among student flyers at the Texas flying fields last year? Tomorrow's article offers an explanation for this.

A Big Measure of Local Sports

Tomorrow's Sunday Supplement will contain more news of what's doing in the local world of sports than usual because of the addition of a new sporting writer to The Sun staff.

Not Only Beautiful But Adventurous

This international beauty soon to come east from California found the cave of the South African robbers who stole her father's gems and later in India killed a tiger. Later she won a prize at an international beauty contest.

Condemns College Girls Smoking

Lady Lookabout evidently feels very strongly on this subject to which the agitation at Vassar college has recently given new life, and Milady's article tomorrow denounces it. She admires Russia's "Revolutionary grandmother" and wonders if the new "tokens" to be used to pay carfares will start a new fashion in women's purses. Some difference between the subjects, but Lady Lookabout is versatile.

Now for Patriotic Parties

Have you been wanting some new idea for a Washington's birthday party? Biddy Bye offers a suggestion for a patriotic party that is new and novel, in the Supplement tomorrow.

Exploring a Volume of "The Ladies' Pearl"

It was a magazine exclusively for women readers, published in the well [illegible] years ago. A bound volume came to The Sun office some time ago and a Sun writer has conducted a very interesting trip through its pages. It is a faithful mirror of life in Lowell as it was 77 years ago.

Argus' Weekly Paper

Argus this week continues a discussion of the league of nations, showing that it is the only means by which world peace can be secured. He proves also that no nation joining the league will have to surrender any part of its sovereignty. The league will be binding in the same sense as a treaty and without it the world will be subject to frequent wars from which no nation can remain entirely neutral. Argus also answers many of the critics of the proposed plan for a league of nations, refuting their absurd claims and assumptions.

Congress Anxiously Awaits Wilson

Unless the president arrives back in Washington in time to sign all the bills passed between Feb. 21 and March 4 they will not become law. No wonder the solons are "pulling for the S. S. George Washington." She ought to make America in time of course. The president starts tonight but suppose bad weather held even the George Washington back?

Do You Like Dog Stories?

"Dewey" was just what you might call a "sort of a mutt dog," but my, how lovable! Yes, "Dewey" is a Lowell dog and if you love animals you'll like to read the first chapter of "Dewey's" life, which starts in The Sun's Sunday Supplement tomorrow.

Quarter Century Ago

In the Quarter of a Century column "Old Times" tells of mill strikes of 60 years ago when the operatives worked from 12 to 14 hours a day. One mill strike resulted from the abolition of what was known as the "lunch recess." The operatives started work at 5 o'clock in the morning and stopped at 7 o'clock in the evening with half an hour for breakfast, an hour for dinner and a lunch recess of 15 minutes every half day. Other happenings in Lowell 25 years ago are also reviewed in this column in the Sunday supplement with tomorrow's Sun.

MUNN'S TEA, lb. 60c

You have never tasted a real cup of TEA until you brew one from this product of the Orient. Try some today and taste

REAL TEA

MUNN'S Coffee, lb. 45c

Good coffee is good food. It tones up the body and satisfies the palate. It begins and ends the day with a smile.

SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

25c Fancy Prunes... 20c
13c Skinner's Macaroni ... 8c
25c Baker's Cocoa.... 21c
13c Campbell's Soups.... 10c
8c Ivory Soap, 3 for 20c
25c Can Tomatoes 18c

Fresh Eggs
Fresh Butter
Fancy Cheese
Fresh Cream

EXTRA SPECIAL
India River Oranges
50c doz. and very fancy

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Telephone 997
FREE DELIVERY

ARE YOU AWAKE to the fact that we are headquarters for the finest Canned Goods? SPECIAL THIS WEEK:—
GOLDEN BANTAM CORN.....23¢ Can; $2.70 the Dozen

HEADQUARTERS FOR BRIDAL VEIL FLOUR

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War Certain Without Sarajevo Murder —Pre-war Stories Shattered

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Some of the accepted stories of the happenings of the momentous days just prior to the war, it is understood, are shattered in a book based on official documents and personal notes of diplomats and officials, to be issued today.

The book characterizes as a fallacy the belief that the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand at Serajevo was a "stage-managed affair," but it is asserted from knowledge gained from official documents that if the assassination had not occurred the war certainty would have been started very soon.

The famous Potsdam conference of July 5, 1914, the books says, was not what has been generally accepted. The meeting took place, but it was not a formal conference, as has been declared repeatedly. Many persons supposed to have been there, it is said, were not present. Emperor William and the German imperial staff were present, however, and at this conference Germany definitely decided for war.

The book was written by Prof. Cahs. W. C. Oman, president of the Royal Historical society and a professor of history at Oxford university. A. J. Balfour, the British foreign secretary, and Ear lCurzon, government leader in the house of lords, are understood to have taken an active interest in its compilation.

One of the "damning revelations," as Prof. Oman calls them, is his statement that from a close study of Munich newspapers he has established that the ultimatum from the Vienna government to the Siberian government was deliberately timed when President Poincare and Premier Viviani of France were at sea, after their departure from Petrograd, in order to make it difficult for the entente to reach an understanding.

A series of hitherto unpublished communications between Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary in 1914, and Prince Lichnowsky, German ambassador in London at the outbreak of the war, go to prove, Prof. Oman says, that the British foreign office believed that Lichnowsky was absolutely honest.

The book says: "They emphasize the personal anxiety of Lichnowsky and show that he was actually and literally betrayed by his government—in other words, that he was the unwilling tool of the Kaiser."

Note from Prince Lichnowsky

On July 29, 1914, Prince Lichnowsky wrote privately to Sir Edward Grey: "I begin to hope that it once more has been possible, owing to Anglo-German collaboration, to save the peace of Europe."

On July 24, Sir W. E. Goschen, British ambassador in Berlin, wrote to Sir Edward Grey, saying: "The chancellor told me last night that he was pressing the button with a view to forming a moderating influence on Vienna."

Information contained in the book shows that the opinion was held in Berlin that Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg was doing everything possible to get the German war machine going.

Journalistic Mystery

The book refers to a journalistic mystery never cleared up—the publication by the Westminster Gazette on Aug. 1, 1914, of a despatch dated in Berlin, giving the text of a purported telegram addressed on July 30 by von Bethmann Hollweg to the German ambassador in Vienna saying: "We must refuse to be drawn into a world conflagration through Austria-Hungary not respecting our advice."

Prof. Oman says that the newspaper never revealed the source of the dispatch and it was never included in the German White Book or in any official publication, yet the document was dragged out two and one half years later by Chancellor Michaelis and cited as proof that Germany was holding back until Russia mobilized, which mobilization Germany gives as the cause of the war.

The book goes into detail of the fateful night during which the order of Emperor Nicholas countermanding the Russian demobilization was ignored by the Russian war minister and the chief of the Russian general staff. It is shown that the emperor was not in possession of information in the hands of his war minister and chief of staff.

STYLE FROM SOUTHLAND

The lucky ladies whose family fortunes permit a southward flitting when the calendar page croaks "February" often carry with them the advance fashions for spring and summer. Displayed on Palm Beaches and

hotel verandahs they indicate what will be worn on Main street, Anytown, Ohio, next May. This stunning afternoon [illegible] frock of [illegible] satin with [illegible] of pale gray chiffon. Small silver buttons and a silver belt buckle are the only ornaments.

For Constipation

Indigestion, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Bloating, Sour Stomach, Gas on the Stomach, Bad Breath or other conditions caused by clogged or irregular bowels, take

FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS

A wholesome and thoroughly cleansing physic—mild and gentle in action.

B. B. Howard, Unadilla, Ga.: "I find Foley Cathartic Tablets give me quicker relief from constipation than anything I ever tried."

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MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

Monday, Feb. 17, 4 p. m. Lecture by Dr. Lane Sharp, Professor of English, Boston University. Subject, "Patrons of Democracy."

SATURDAY---The Big Day at

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All Wool Serge Dresses, colors are navy, black and taupe. James' price $12 and $15. Sale Price $8.50

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All Wool Serge Dresses, button trimmed, good styles, trimmed with twinkle of color of Victory red. James' price $15 to $18.50. Sale Price $9.75

DRESSES For Women and Misses Second Floor

Serge and Taffeta Dresses, many pretty styles to select from. Large assortment of colors. All Spring styles. James' price $18 to $25. Sale Price $14.50

COATS For Women and Misses Second Floor

Some have large fur collars. Big roomy pockets. Materials are Silvertone, Pom Pom and Cheviots. Colors are reindeer, pekin, taupe, brown and plum. There is a large assortment of extra sizes included in this lot, such as sizes 46, 48 and 50. James' price $20 to $29.50. Sale Price.....$12.50

COATS FOR MISSES SECOND FLOOR

Baffin Seal Cape Coats and Caramel Cloth Coats. Large fur collars and belted styles. James' price $35 to $40. Sale Price.....$19.50

COATS For Women and Misses Second Floor

Bolivias, Pom Poms and Plush Coats, all silk lined, with and without fur collars. James' price $27.50 to $40. Sale Price.....$19.50

HOUSE DRESSES SECOND FLOOR

Billie Burke House Dresses in good quality gingham and chambray, all sizes. James' price $2. Sale Price $1.35

WAISTS FOR WOMEN SECOND FLOOR

Fancy Voile and Semi-Tailored Waists. James' price $1.95 and $2.95. Sale Price.....91¢

WAISTS FOR WOMEN SECOND FLOOR

Including Middies and Smocks, in rose, copen, white and nile green. James' price $2.98 and $3.98. Sale Price.....$1.89

WAISTS FOR WOMEN SECOND FLOOR

Georgette Crepe Blouses in white and colors, small lots, but good collection. James' price $5.00 to $10. Sale Price $3.29

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor

New Spring Suits, styles are exceptionally good. Materials are poplin, serges. Colors are navy, black and rookie. Sale Price.....$16.50

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor

Men's Wear Serge, navy and black, new Spring styles, splendid quality material. Sale Price $22.50

SUITS For Misses and Women Second Floor

Heavy Poplin and Serge, for mid-season wear. In black and navy. James' price $35. Sale Price $12.50

DRESSES FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Large lot of Dresses for women and misses, not all sizes in every style, but all sizes in the lot. All wool serges, taffetas and satins. Excellent array of styles. James' price $10 and $18. Sale Price.....$6.98 and $7.98

APRONS SECOND FLOOR

Allover Bungalow Aprons, navy blue, good full size. James' price $1.50. Sale Price.....85¢

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops

Good Quality Serge Dresses. Regulation Middy styles. Also high waistline, pleated skirt model. Navy only. Sizes 6 to 14 years. James' price $8.00. Sale Price.....$4.75

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops

Small lot of Velvet Dresses, sizes 8 to 16 years. Colors are navy and brown. Youthful styles, prettily embroidered. James' price $12. Sale Price $8.75

DRESSES For Girls Little Gray Shops

Taffeta Dresses, plain and plaited skirts, round necks piped with contrasting color material, button trimmed. Others embroidered. Sizes 6 to 16 years. James' price $12 and $13.50. Sale Price $8.75

COATS FOR GIRLS LITTLE GRAY SHOPS

Warm Broadcloth and Wool Velour, fur trimmed. Others are plain belted models with full flare skirt. Mostly dark shades. Sizes 6 to 14 years. James' price $16.50 and $20. Sale Price $10.75

COATS FOR GIRLS LITTLE GRAY SHOPS

Velvet and Burella Coats, nearseal collars, large pockets, button trimmed. Sizes 8 to 14 years. James' price $12. Sale Price.....$8.50

COATS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

All Wool Velours, Cheviots, Burellas, all weighty garments. A good assortment of styles and colors. James' price $15 and $22.50. Sale Price $7.39

PETTICOATS SECOND FLOOR

Heatherbloom Petticoats, in fancy patterns, light blue, rose, gray and purple. James' price $1.98. Sale Price $1.35

WAISTS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Voile Waists in a large assortment of styles. Sizes up to 46. James' price $1.19. Sale Price 75¢

APRONS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Striped Percale Aprons. Light and dark colors. James' price $1.00. Sale Price.....59¢

HOUSEDRESSES FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Light and dark colors, made of good quality percale. Sizes to 51. $1.50 value. Sale Price 98¢

PETTICOATS FOR WOMEN BASEMENT

Women's Outsize Gingham Petticoats. James' price $1.25. Sale Price.....89¢

THE LOWELL SUN

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Never were people so close to their newspapers as they are today. Never were the dailies, great and small, giving such splendid service.

People are being rallied to their post-war duties. The inspiration of governmental leader is securing constructive action. There is massed thought and massed action.

Your newspapers today are a greater, a stronger, more economical, more efficient advertising medium than ever before. The newspapers never before "stood so well" with the people. The newspapers have been tipped in the crucible of war, too, and the report on the test is 100 per cent O. K.

Newspaper readers are seeking the guidance of advertising in newspapers more studiously than ever before because the greater need exists. This is a time when patriotic and public spirited business men of all kinds, including merchants and manufacturers, give the people helpful advertising messages by using newspaper space.

The buying habits of the people are diplomatically being directed into channels most likely to help the government, that means, helping You and Me, Your Neighbor and My Neighbor and all of us, for now, more than ever before, is it true, "No Man liveth unto himself alone." If he insists on trying to, he will get sick of it, as many have.

The Sun is an agency to convey the news, the sentiment and the trade offerings of this live community. You are not part of hustling business life of the city unless you are represented in the ad column of

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STATE ADVERTISING

A message, however large and important, pent up in one human being's head, is not a message. It is merely a thought, an idea, a bit of knowledge. It becomes a message only when it is communicated to other ears.

And, as the world is wide and people are numerous, ears are not easily reached, excepting in ones and twos. So we reach thousands and millions of ears through as many eyes.

In other words, printed pages carry messages to those who use their eyes.

Up in North Dakota there are few people and many acres. The people want neighbors. They want folks from thickly populated centres to settle on idle farms and make them productive of food and wealth. So they are sending that message to other men and women. But the state itself is dictating the message and paying for the sending of it. North Dakota's state legislature has just passed an act appropriating $200,000 for state advertising purposes: to let the rest of the world hear her message of idle land and the need for workers. This is probably the first time that any state government spent state money to advertise the state for the benefit of the state's citizens, present and future.

SALARY RAISING

This is not a time for raising salaries or wages to any great extent, particularly in municipal offices. The conditions do not warrant advances at a time when the tendency is in the opposite direction.

The cost of living must come down. It is coming down gradually and this tendency will continue until checked by the boom of prosperity that is sure to arrive in the near future.

Mills and factories that earned big money during the war could conveniently shut down for a few months and await the return of certainty, the settlement of policies as to tariff, export and freight charges. But the operatives cannot afford to be idle. These conditions make conservatism by labor leaders and organizations imperative until the transition period shall have passed.

When this business boom will come is not certain; but one thing quite sure is, that any labor troubles will retard it. If harmony and co-operation prevail, it may set in about May or June, but otherwise it may be delayed till next fall.

All depends upon wise management, patience, co-operation and mutual forbearance between employer and employed.

LETTER CARRIERS

The busy man deposits money in a bank and tells checks to his creditors. He saves his legs. He makes use of the postman's legs. If 10,000 people save one hour each [illegible] and that estimate is [illegible] for any big city like New York or Cleveland, Detroit or Chicago, Washington or Los Angeles and if each hour saved is worth no more than a dollar, then you have $10,000 saved each day to the business community by its postman.

That's only a part of the savings the postman makes for the community he serves.

Yet some of us fail to think of him in this way when he wants a raise in pay.

The postman is paid the moderate sum of from $900 to $1,000 a year which, in these times, is far too little for the service rendered.

NEW WAR LOAN

The next war loan will soon be asked from the people and it is a certainty that the masses are not now prepared to meet the demand as they were when all were working overtime at good wages. Still, if the conditions be made sufficiently attractive, those who have the money will buy the bonds. Secretary Glass has in hand the task of floating the next loan and it must be authorized by the present congress. To await action by the next congress would be to leave our soldiers and sailors unpaid for a time after their wages fall due.

The amount of the loan has not yet been announced, but it will be probably between five and six billion dollars, possibly higher.

We all admit the Providence Journal is a very fine paper and its contribution to the work of fighting German spies and propaganda will always be regarded as one of the most notable achievements of American journalism. Lately, the Journal says, members of its staff have consulted high legal authorities who have reassured the Journal that Polk, in proclaiming the ratification of the bone dry amendment, seriously erred. The Journal asserts that many states must ratify prohibition not through their legislatures, but by popular vote. The Journal is probably dealing with a much involved proposition, a legal technicality which the highest court in the land may have to decide.

There is a question of whether the expressed regret of the people of the French nation, at seeing the American legions departing for home, may not be based on reasons entirely political. Probably American soldiers, many of them responsible for the support of families, feel that their contribution of blood and valor has been all that the French can reasonably expect. None of us believes German ambition can be backed up by resources sufficient to menace Europe's peace again in the near future. Still, in her war torn position, France may be excused for insisting upon protective measures.

This afternoon, some "sample boxing bouts" were put on in the Chicago city council chambers so the city's solons could learn more intimately about boxing, the idea being that Illinois, or certain interests therein, are trying to legalize boxing. The talent for the matches this afternoon, was recruited from Great Lakes Naval Training station, with the addition of a few professionals. Whether Illinois legalizes boxing or not, we'll say that we hope the city fathers were treated to some good bouts.

Over in New York, they are worrying some about the prospect of ice being sold at a high price next summer. The faithful old Hudson, so far, has shown a disinclination to freeze over. We had previously supposed the New York conception of ice was that its chief use was to cool beer and cocktail material. As far as that goes, the present apprehension may be somewhat unfounded inasmuch as in New York, after June 30, ice for such purposes will be unnecessary.

[illegible] per cent of the French girls want to marry American husbands. Did the Paris paper that printed this story print it as truthful news, or did it print it as a subtle French compliment to the Stripes and Stars who hustled over to help out Joan's country? Many thousand of American soldiers have already disembarked from ships which started from French ports. Where are their French wives? There must be some buddies too gallant to let a French girl pine for an American mate.

In regard to Mayor Ole Hanson of Seattle, advices from that city certify that the only foreign thing about Mayor Hanson is his name. The Seattle papers say he was 100 per cent American and proven so even before strong-minded shipyard workers tried to make the fine city on Puget sound a replica of Petrograd.

SEEN AND HEARD

Well, did you get that expected valentine?

You can help yourself by keeping tabs on yourself.

It is not always wise for one to relate one's observations.

They do tell that the spice of life is generally found in family jars.

Some men will have a lot of time to spend at the movies and elsewhere after July 1.

"To resume war if Germany fails to carry out terms." Good idea; we know how to do it now.

Lowell wants to build a new school but the Locks & Canals must be consulted first. What omnipresence it doth maintain!

Remember that the little Armenian was just as human and tender as you were when you were born. There's no good reason why he should be slaughtered any more than you. Help out Brother Hockmeyer's relief campaign as a part of your reconstruction program.

Her Preference

The wife of a congressman had two sons who were in the habit of taking the pretty nursemaid out for a good time. The boys would not own up to it when she tried to caution them lest their father learned the situation.

She then went to the pretty nurse and by a little finesse disarmed her of thinking she was displeased.

"Minna," she said, "which of the boys do you like to go out with best, Tom or Harry?"

"Well," said the maid, "I think I prefer Harry, but for a real good time I like your husband best."—Ginger Jar.

Cost of Salvation

A colored preacher had just concluded a sermon on "Salvation Am Free" and announced that a collection would be taken up for the benefit of the parson and his family. A member in the audience objected to the paradoxical nature of the proceedings, and received this bit of negro logic in response:

"S'pose yo' was thirsty an' come to a river. Yo' could kneel right down an' drink your fill, couldn't yo'? An' it would cost yo' nothin'. Dat water would be free. But s'posin' yo' was to have dat water piped to yo' house, you'd have to pay, wouldn't you? Wall, brudder, so it is wid salvation. De salvation am free, but it's de habin' it piped to yo' dat you got to pay fo'."—San Diego Union.

Too Late Then

An officer home on leave took his wife to the seaside. When his leave was up he left her there and came up to his home for the night to sleep, leaving his house early next day to return to the front.

The postgirl brought a letter a few minutes after he had gone, marked "urgent," and addressed to him. A neighbor told the postgirl that he had departed and readdressed it to him.

The mail boat was lost in the channel, but the mails were saved and the letter came back, was again taken over by the same neighbor and again posted to the front.

One morning the officer was in the dread act of going "over the top" when the letter was handed to him and this is what it said: "Dear George—Be sure to tell Mrs. Williams that our cat is not to have cat's meat more than once a week, as it makes the darling so fierce."

My Valentine

O, loved one of mine, my fair valentine,
My pen in love's nectar I dip
To write of the skies in the blue of your eyes,
And the red of your sweet pouting lip.

You come with my dreams, as the fitful fire gleams,
And sit on my knee in the dusk—
Yes out of life's flask, such wine do I ask,
While others are eating but husks.

Your dainty white hand, like a small fairy wand,
Is lifted my brow to caress,
And two witching feet, in slippers as neat,
Peep out from the hem of your dress.

And the mesh of your hair, with the light playing there,
Is a crown for an empress to wear,
Ah, he earns of your chin, with the dimple tucked in,
And the round of your throat under (here!

I know that no man, since time first began,
Or the stars in their courses to shine,
Ever held on his knee such a creature as she
Who pitches this dreaming on mine!

With a clasp of my arms I gather your charms
With a fervor I make to deplore—
For with rattle and clink, that awoke me, by jinks!
My mousetrap has dropped on the floor.

—Cartoons Magazine.

May Be Missing Link

The Paris Figaro gives an account of a recent remarkable discovery of paintings in a prehistoric cave of South France. In particular a sketch has been found of a man who went about on all fours and possessed a tail. The account runs in part:

"Count Bergouen and his sons discovered on the wall of the subterranean gallery, some engravings estimated to be 20,000 years old, and in such quantity and variety that the extraordinary ensemble of prehistoric art work constitutes a veritable museum.

"The animals marked in the cave are considerable in number and include reindeer, bison, horses, both isolated and in groups, bears, elephants and rhinoceroses. The representations of felines are very rare but Messrs. Bergouen have photographed in their cave a genuine lion, executed in bas-relief. They have made out also several birds, including swans, ducks, as well as three predatory night flyers.

"The human figure is likewise represented in the cave, which has been named 'The cave of the three brothers.' A silhouette is particularly remarkable, almost baffling. It represents a man in motion—a man of powerful body, whose head and shoulders are joined by an enormous neck, a man whose upper and lower limbs and whose hands and feet are perfectly human, but whose vertebral column is prolonged in an exterior appendage resembling that of the anthropoids—a man, at least, qui marche a quatre pattes!"

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

I am not sure in what division of the street department Westford street is, who is directly responsible as supervisor of its cleaning or in fact, who the faithful sweeper men are who go over it but here and now I want to say that Westford street from its entire length seems to me to be one of the cleanest kept streets in all the city. I have seen streets in Lowell where the sweepers, like slovenly housewives who sweep lint and dust under rugs, swept street litter up around tree boxes but such is not the case on Westford street. Now, to cite an example of a street, the condition of which is the very reverse of this excellent condition, I'll name Paige street right here in the heart of the city and located where I suppose more out-of-town folk see it than ever see Westford street. Paige street is a dirty looking street and unless it's stipulated that it be kept dirty, I should think there would be a change made about the care given it.

A new point in the basic eight-hour day program under which Lowell mill people now work—a point which ought to receive some attention from the thrifty minded—was brought out by two men I heard talking on a street car homeward bound yesterday. Said the first man, "Well, if I were a young man employed in the mills at the present time I would ask for nothing better than to have the chance to work under the eight-hour system. What a change from the drudgery hours that used to prevail. The young man who wants to get ahead by study outside of working hours or wants to improve his time by means other than study, has all the chance in the world to do it. I expect there was a time when the old time mill workers never dreamed the industry would be conducted on the eight-hour basis. With things as they are now, if a young man employed in the mills does not better his condition and get a better job or a better situation in life, it must be said that the matter is wholly up to him. He now has plenty of time to help himself. It's his own fault if he doesn't get ahead."

Well, I hear Lieut. Paul H. Hines of Boston, now a member of the staff of the Boston Post and formerly a member of the famous 26th Division, will be one of the speakers at the patriotic dinner to be given by the local Fourth degree Knights of Columbus on the evening of Washington's birthday. I know Paul Hines. I know him very well, and like all Boston newspapermen who ever did know him, I'll say that to know him is to admire and respect him. We used frequently to work together on assignments in Boston and I suppose if Paul were very much pressed he would tell of a mild and rather humorous adventure he and I had of which the third actor was a German propagandist. This soldiering business is no new thing for Paul Hines. He had served one or two enlistments in the Marines long before this matter with the Huns came up. The members of Bishop Delany assembly are to be congratulated that they are to hear Lieut. Hines' story of his experiences at St. Mihiel and Seicheprey. He is a newspaperman who writes a good story and, unlike most newspapermen who write good stories, he can tell his story well.

Does advertising in The Sun pay? Well, I should say it did. Tom Maguire and young Lavelle corner me every now and then and tell me what wonderful things are accomplished when Lowell people listen to the space selling propositions they advance and many times I turn a deaf ear to the tales as our branch of the newspaper game is of course far above the filthy lucre part of the business. Oh, yes. But yesterday they unloaded an advertising story on me that I choose to put in the col. even at risk of being accused of "tooting his own horn." "Tooting his own horn," or not, this is a true story. The Bon Marche people put an ad in The Sun desiring to hire an auto driver. The first day after the ad appeared in The Sun the manager at the store said he guessed that ad better be taken out of The Sun as applicants were taking up the space in the store so much. The second day after the ad appeared I hear the manager of the store phoned to The Sun's composing room and yelled to the foreman, "Say, you'll just have to jerk out that ad of ours for an auto driver. We've already had 64 applicants and more evidently coming up the street. If you ran the ad another day Bon Marche would have to hire all these good young fellows and start a new branch of the department store business."

Lincoln's birthday morning Miss Louie I. Smith, who "mothers" a score or so of little tots up in the Pine street kindergarten, told her very little scholars something about Lincoln. She concluded her story by saying, "Now in our country the people pick out a man whom they believe is a very wise man and they elect him to be our president. It was that way with Mr. Lincoln and the same with Mr. Wilson, our great president who is now away across the big water." The circle of eager, interested little faces showed the interest with which the story had been received. In Miss Smith's school, it seems, when you feel like talking you can talk and in fact telling one's ideas is encouraged. Finally, the spell was broken. One little chap said to Miss Smith and his comrades in general, "Well, I guess my father isn't very wise and I guess they'll never pick him out for our president. He's just a daddy."

Many Sun readers saw in this paper Wednesday the account of the awarding of honors to different members of the crew U.S.S. Mt. Vernon for heroism displayed when the vessel was torpedoed off France. Many persons wondered how it happened that the Lowell colony on board escaped receiving an honorable mention. There are four Lowell boys on the Mt. Vernon and they have all been on her for quite some time. There is a young fellow named Simpson whose first name I have been unable to get, Seaman Ira Booth, Seaman James Brosnan and Chief Petty Officer George H. Bird, whose home is at 191 Chelmsford street, this city.

NOW RAISES 600 CHICKENS

After Being Relieved of Organic Trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oregon, Ill.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for an organic trouble which pulled me down until I could not put my foot to the floor and could scarcely do my work, and as I live on a small farm and raise six hundred chickens every year it made it very hard for me.

"I saw the Compound advertised in our paper, and tried it. It has restored my health so I can do all my work and I am so grateful that I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. D. M. ALTERS, R. R. 4, Oregon, Ill.

Only women who have suffered the tortures of such troubles and have dragged along from day to day can realize the relief which this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters.

The letters constantly being published from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

EPILEPTIC ATTACKS Have Been STOPPED For Over 50 Years

by DR. KLINE'S EPILEPTIC REMEDY. It is a rational and remarkably successful treatment for Fits, Epilepsy (Falling Sickness) and Kindred Nervous Derangements. Get or order it at any Drug Store—

Send for our valuable book on Epilepsy. It is FREE

Dr. R. H. Kline Co. DEPT. B RED BANK, N.J.

OUR MARK DOWN SALE OF FINE SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR

$22.50

Is simply continuing our plan of clearing up stock at the end of each season.

The highest class Suits and Overcoats are included in this sale and for a price as low as you paid for these qualities two years ago.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

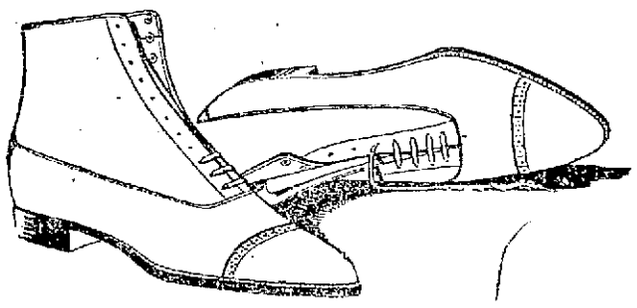
including smart models of Suits that have been selling for $28.00, $30.00, $35.00, $40.00 and $42.00. Sizes 33 to 48 in the lots, now

$22.50

OVERCOATS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

—full box, waist seam, form-fitting and conservative models, including some of "Society Brand" Overcoats—have been selling for $30.00, $35.00, $37.50, $40.00 and $45.00—Sizes from 33 to 48 stout in the lots, now

$22.50



HERE'S A SALE OF HIGH CLASS SHOES THAT'S DECIDEDLY UNUSUAL

Men's Shoes have been selling for $9.50, $10, $11, $12 and $13.50, now — $8.50

Men's Shoes have been selling for $7, $7.50, $8 and $8.50, now ..... — $5.75

Men's Shoes have been selling for $4.50, $5, $5.50 and $6, now ..... — $3.75

Putnam & Son Co.

166 CENTRAL STREET

A Woman's Health

means everything to her. But so many of our American women are worn out, anemic, and suffering from the peculiar weakness of womankind. To build up, strengthen and cure these weaknesses, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is a woman's true herbal tonic. It does not contain a particle of alcohol, nor anything deleterious to women's delicate constitution. For fifty years it has proven its merit, and can now be had in tablet as well as liquid form at almost any drug store, or send 10c for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

THAT WEAK BACK

Accompanied by pain here and there—extreme nervousness—sleeplessness—maybe faint spells, chills or spasms—all are signals of distress for a woman. She may be growing from girlhood into womanhood—passing from womanhood to motherhood—or later suffering during middle life, which leaves so many wrecks of women. At any of these periods of a woman's life, "Favorite Prescription" is the best herbal tonic and nervine prescribed for just such cases by a physician of vast experience in the diseases from which women suffer. Then, for the liver and bowels nothing is so good as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of May-apple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground. All druggists.

You can write Dr. Pierce, Pres. Invalids' Hotel, in full confidence and receive free medical advice.

DIES SUDDENLY

Military Governor of Paris Succumbs at Dinner

PARIS, Feb. 14.—General Moinler, military governor of Paris, died last night, while at dinner.

PERSHING'S AID DIES OF PNEUMONIA

PARIS, Feb. 14. Col. Carl Boyd, principal aide-de-camp to General Pershing, has died of an attack of pneumonia. His home was at Adamsville, Ga., and for a number of years he was military attache of the American embassy here.

THE MAYOR THANKS THEATRE HEAD

Mayor Perry D. Thompson today forwarded the following letter of appreciation to Benjamin Pickett, manager of the B. F. Keith theatre for the part which he contributed toward the success of the Roosevelt memorial exercises in the theatre last Sunday. The city was able to obtain the use of the theatre without a cent of expense and received every manner of co-operation from the management and employes. Today's letter follows:

Feb. 11, 1919.

Mr. Benjamin Pickett, Keith's Theatre, Lowell, Mass.

My Dear Mr. Pickett:

I desire to take occasion to thank you in behalf of the city government of the city of Lowell for the very substantial part that you contributed towards the success of the Theodore Roosevelt memorial day at your theatre.

It is indeed most gratifying to me to say that the exercises conducted at your theatre on Sunday last were carried on under most favorable auspices, due greatly to the courteous attention rendered by yourself and the attaches of your theatre.

Thanking you heartily, I remain.

Very truly yours,
PERRY D. THOMPSON,
Mayor of Lowell.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing. Tobin's, Associate bldg.

Lydon for best catering. Tel. 1934.

Fire and liability insurance, Daniel J. OBrien, Wyman's Exchange.

The O. M. I. Cadets will hold a meeting at 7.30 o'clock tonight. Business of importance will be transacted.

Inspector Hailey of the state highway commission examined 15 applicants for chauffeurs' licenses at city hall today.

A. E. Rountree of the local park commission is inspecting parks in the south where he is now traveling and has already seen some of the beauty spots of Palm beach, Key West and St. Augustine. He will not return until next month.

An alarm from box 119 at 10.56 o'clock this forenoon summoned a portion of the department to the building at the corner of Adams and Salem street, owned by Joseph Bay, for a rug fire in a closet of one of the tenements. There was no damage.

Word has been received in Lowell that Sergt. Frederick Bamford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bamford of 62 Main street, has been promoted to a second lieutenant. Sergt. Bamford left Camp Devens with the 76th division as a member of Co. C, 302nd Machine Gun battalion.

John Danford of 101 Westford street fell from the high steps of his home last evening at 11 o'clock and fractured a left rib. The accident occurred while Mr. Danford was trying to unlock his door. The ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital.

The ninth annual reunion and banquet of the Olney Chemical Alumni of the Lowell Textile school will be held Saturday, Feb. 15, at the Richardson hotel, Lowel, Mass. Lieut. Gustafson, a graduate of the school who has seen active service abroad, will be the speaker of the evening.

Hon David I. Walsh, will come to Lowell next Sunday afternoon to address members of the Lowell branch of the League of Catholic Women in Associate hall at 3 o'clock. The former governor and present Senator-elect will speak on "Opportunity for Service." A capacity attendance is expected as the officers of the league are making provisions for relieving friends of the members as well as members themselves. Further details will be announced later.

THE OWL THEATRE

TODAY——Nothing Cheap But the Price—Nothing Small But the Theatre——TODAY

ANITA STEWART

The Biggest Screen Success Ever in The City

NO ADVANCE IN PRICES

VIRTUOUS WIVES

LOUIS B. MAYER'S $100,000 SCREEN STAR in

Hundreds of People Turned Away Daily

10c at Mat.; 10-20c at Nite

IMPORTANT

ON SATURDAY THE SHOW WILL START AT 10 IN THE MORNING AND WILL BE CONTINUOUS UNTIL 10.30 AT NITE.

—COMING—

NEXT WEEK

NOTHING EVER LIKE IT IN PICTURES BEFORE

MONDAY—FIREMAN'S DAY

—COMING—

NEXT WEEK

The Most Daring and Sensational Camera Production Ever.

MONDAY—FIREMAN'S FAMILY DAY

THE STILL ALARM

Reaching the Pinnacle of Dramatic Effort. Dwarfing the Stage-Craft of All Times.

LOWELL NEVER SAW ANYTHING LIKE IT BEFORE

ROYAL THEATRE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

D. W. Griffith has "MADE" many screen stars, people who would have never risen to their actual rank, but for his masterly training. But among them, one has stood above his "artificial stars" and that is

HENRY B. WALTHALL Who played in "Birth of a Nation," "The Great Love" and other Griffith triumphs.

HE WILL BE SEEN IN HIS VERY LATEST INDEPENDENT 6-ACT RELEASE

"THE LONG LANE'S TURNING"

A NEW, ZIPPY BIG-V COMEDY IN 2 ACTS

JACK LIVINGSTON and star cast in the 5-act Picture "THE PRICE OF APPLAUSE"

2nd Episode of "THE MAN OF MIGHT" With WILLIAM DUNCAN and Co-stars

EPISODE 13 OF "THE IRON TEST" With ANTONIO MORENO

The STRAND

CONTINUOUS FROM 10 TO 11

Film Features First

——TODAY——

"FOR FREEDOM"

Passion, Peace and Patriotism, Featuring

WILLIAM FARNUM

HAYAKAWA

Japanese Film Star in "THE TEMPLE OF DUSK"

Others

10¢ SEATS ALL PERFORMANCES

JEWEL THEATRE

"The Home of Sparkling Photoplays"

TODAY AND SATURDAY

HERBERT RAWLINSON

——IN——

"Smashing Through"

Five acts full of pep and life, with a charming romance underlying it all. Don't miss it.

"THE CLEMENCEAU CASE"

——WITH——

THEDA BARA

A five-reel modernized version of the famous Dumas novel. Fox Special

BILLY WEST in "SHIP AHOY"—EDDIE POLO—MUTT & JEFF

BIJOU

LOWELL'S LEADING THEATRE

Twice Daily, 2 and 7.15——Tel. 28

TRAVERS AND DOUGLAS
Assisted by Louis Theil, in "MORNING GLORY"

ORTH & CODY
In "LET'S TAKE A WALK"

FRED ALLEN
Trying to Get Along

ROLLAND & RAY
In Songs and Jest

THREE TIVOLI GIRLS
10 Minutes of Harmony

CLAIRE & ATWOOD
In "BUMPS"

HOWARD'S
DOG AND PONY CIRCUS
Special Reception Saturday Matinee on the Stage for Kiddies. A Ride on the Ponies.

PATHE NEWS WEEKLY—COMEDY
1000 MATINEE SEATS, 10 CENTS

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

TODAY AND SATURDAY

Dorothy Gish

——IN——

"The Hope Chest"

A contest between snobbishness and democracy with a pretty girl the victor.

"AMERICA WAS RIGHT"

SPECIAL PATRIOTIC FEATURE

A beautiful romance in which patriotism is the underlying motive.

COMEDY—"PERFECTLY FIENDISH FLANAGAN"
BURTON HOLMES TRAVEL PICTURES

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

THIS WEEK

A BIG DRAMATIC OFFERING THE—

UNKNOWN VOICE

——NEXT WEEK——

The Story of a Girl Who Was Sold to Save Her Father

THE WIFE HE BOUGHT

By WALTER HACKETT

Author of "The Invisible Foe"

New York's Greatest Success of This Season

TRACK MEET

LOWELL HIGH VS. WAKEFIELD HIGH

Saturday, Feb. 15, 1919, 7.30 P. M.

ADMISSION 50 CENTS

NEWS OF THE DAY IN THE POLICE COURT

What seems to be fast becoming a standard alibi with the offenders whose cases are tried at the police court made its appearance again this morning when Joseph Karoski, who was charged with assault and battery on Thomas J. Nevins told Judge Fisher that he was so drunk that he didn't know whether he struck the complainant or not. This was Joe's sole defense, and he stuck to it throughout the trial.

Nevins, who is employed at the Massachusetts mills told the court that as he was going along Lakeview avenue last Saturday on his way home from work someone came up behind him and knocked him down with a well planted right hook to the side of the head. When he had struggled to his feet a woman who stood nearby told him that defendant, who was running from the scene at this time, was the man who had struck him. A witness of the affair corroborated Nevins' story with the result that Joe was found guilty and assessed $20 as a warning not to be quite so aggressive in the future.

Coat Larceny Case

Charles F. Lannon was charged with the larceny of a coat from William Bishop and entered a plea of not guilty. Bishop said that he was employed at the George L. Cady lumber yard and that last Saturday while at work he told the coat down for a few moments. When he loked for the garment it was nowhere in sight and a little girl told him that she had seen four boys pick up the coat and run away with it.

Officer Kennedy, who arrested Lannon on a charge of trespassing a short time afterwards, testified that defendant had the coat in his possession at the time and that he had attempted to give it to another young man after being placed under arrest.

Lannon said that he had not stolen the coat, it had been stolen by another boy who had afterwards attempted to sell it to him for 50 cents. He had refused to buy it, he said, and had been merely trying it on when arrested, which accounted for his being found with it in his possession.

It was finally decided to continue the case until tomorrow morning when it is expected the three other young men will be present and give their version of the story.

Found Not Guilty

Joseph W. Martin was charged with a violation of the motor vehicle law. Edward F. Flynn, the complainant in the case, told the court that he was on his way to Billerica last Saturday night in his machine and that Martin, who was coming towards the city in a large truck collided with him and kept on his way without stopping to ascertain the amount of damage done. His machine was smashed to some extent and after a time Martin came back to the scene of the accident.

Martin's defense was that under the existing circumstances a collision was unavoidable and that it was no more his fault than Flynn's. He was found not guilty and the case dismissed.

Hard Working Man

"I'm a hard working man, Your Honor," said John Dudek to the court, "and I always feed my wife and my five kids every day. Why don't she go out and go to work if she isn't satisfied?" This in answer to his better half's testimony that he spent too much money on drink and not enough on his family. She also said that when under the influence of liquor John usually became rough and pushed her around more or less. He was found guilty of drunkenness and given a suspended sentence of two months in jail.

PRIV. NORMAN ROSS HOME

A most enjoyable reception was held at the home of Mrs. Dora Ross in Royal street Wednesday evening upon the occasion of the home-coming of her son, Private Norman Ross from overseas following 10 months' service with the 55th C.A.C. Private Ross participated in the battle of the Marne, Ypres, St. Mihiel, the Argonne forest and the Meuse river. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with the national colors and a large "Welcome home" flag in the centre. There were enjoyable musical selections by Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Richards and Mrs. Richard Connell. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ross assisted by Mrs. W. Ouellette, Mrs. A. Mallen and Mrs. Richards. The program was closed with a prayer led by Adjutant Clark of the Salvation Army and singing of the national anthem by all present.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

5-ROOM COTTAGE for rent. 12 Batchelder's place. Rent $11. Inquire on the premises.

COTTAGE for sale near Manchester st.; nice lot land, $1650. M. Queely, 41 Royal st.

6-ROOM COTTAGE near Bowden and Gorham sts., for sale; built only eight years; land enough for another house. $1700. M. Queely, 41 Royal st.

2-TENEMENT HOUSE, handy repair, large yard, near London st., for sale. Price $2500. Easy terms. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

7-ROOM COTTAGE, handy, city sts ave., for sale; also large garden and poultry house. Price $3100. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

7-ROOM HOUSE, steam heat, bath, set tubs, large barn and extra lot of land, near Gorham st., for sale. Price $3500. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

2-TENEMENT HOUSES, cottages, investment property, lodging house, stores, farms, tenements, etc. Customers waiting. Philip J. Cralton, 227 Hildreth bldg. Real estate and insurance auctioneer. Tel. 5516.

10-ROOM LODGING HOUSE for sale all rented, steam heat and everything modern. Price for house, land and furniture, $1000 down, $1500. Philip J. Cralton, 227 Hildreth Bldg. Open evenings. Tel. 5516.

HELP WANTED

SHOEMAKER wanted. John the Shoe Man, 187 Broadway.

MEN AND WOMEN wanted to know that we pay the highest cash prices for bonds. Apply to Lowell Commission House, 16 Gorham st. Sam's, 151 Central st.

CAPABLE CUTTER and crusher pressman with full knowledge of dyes and make-ready. Very good opportunity for a live, wide-awake man. In answering state experience, full personal details and salary expected. G-17, Sun office.

TAILOR wanted. Apply Harry Raymond, Tailor, 146 Gorham st.

SALESMEN and agents to sell our teas and coffee, spices and extracts to our old customers on established routes on commission and salary. Write for our proposition and samples. C. L. Sharples & Co., Dept. —, Clinton, Iowa.

GIRL wanted to do light housework and help to care for children. Address J-30, Sun Office.

GOVERNMENT will hold railway mail clerk examinations, Lowell, March 15th. $92 month. Experience unnecessary. Men, 18 or over, desiring clerkships write for free particulars, Raymond Terry (former civil service examiner), Continental Building, Washington.

BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT

Separate sealed bids will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses at City Hall on Friday, February 21, 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m., for

1. Lighting Fixtures.
2. Window Shades.

To be furnished and installed in the Bartlett School on Wannalancit street for the City of Lowell in accordance with plans and specifications furnished by Millard F. Davis, Architect.

3. Lighting Fixtures

To be furnished and installed in the Isolation Hospital Buildings on West Meadow Road for the City of Lowell in accordance with plans and specifications furnished by Henry L. Rourke, Architect.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the Building Department at City Hall or at the offices of the architects in the Hildreth Building.

A bond to the amount of 20% of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder as a guarantee that the contract will be completed in a manner satisfactory to the architect and the commissioner.

The Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to accept the proposal which seems for the best interest of the City of Lowell.

Per order,
GEORGE E. MARCHAND,
Commissioner.

One 1916 7-Passenger Jeffrey Sedan
One 1917 Rush ½ Ton Truck, closed body
One Ford Touring Car
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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 12, 1919. The committee on public lighting will give a hearing to parties interested in House No. 350, recommendations of the board of gas and electric light commissioners; H. 351, relative to the manners of municipal lighting; H. 352, relative to the disposition of bonds of gas, electric and water companies; H. 353, relative to provision for depreciation by gas, electric and water companies; H. 354, relative to street lighting contracts; H. 355, relative to the extension of the charters of gas and electric companies; H. 356, relative to contracts between gas and electric companies; H. 357, to check the depletion of the resources of gas, electric and water companies; and H. 358, relative to the annual report of the board of gas and electric light commissioners, at Room No. 116, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 19, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

John E. Beck, Chairman. William Francis Cook, Clerk of Committee.

ALONZO B. COOK, Auditor.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Jeremiah J. Leary, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Michael Leary of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Atty.

17-11-17

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John F. Markham, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to 45 Madison street, Lowell.

THOMAS J. MARKHAM, Adm.

Feb. 10, 1919.

Under authority of Section 10, Chapter 209 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1908, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 491 of the Acts of 1909 and Chapter 171 of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 27223 on the Washington Savings Institution is lost or destroyed; payment has been stopped, and application has been made for payment of the amount.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Catherine Moloney, also called Kate Moloney, Kate Moloney and Katie Moloney, of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive.

Whereas, a petition for guardianship has been presented to said Court, by George M. Kline, Elmer A. Stevens, and Charles G. Dewey of the Massachusetts Commission on Mental Diseases, alleging that said Catherine Moloney is an insane person, and incapable of taking care of herself, and praying that Clarence L. Newton, of Newton, in said County, or some other suitable person, may be appointed her guardian, agreeably to the law in such case made and provided.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in and for said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to cause you to be notified of the time and place appointed for the hearing of said complaint, by serving said Catherine Moloney with a copy of this order, seven days at least before said Court; and by mailing to said heirs apparent or presumptive at the last known postoffice address of each, a copy of the same, seven days at least before said Court, or instead of said mailing, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

LOST AND FOUND

CAMEO STONE lost Thursday, Feb. 13. Finder please write G-16, Sun office.

TWO BROWN HANDBAGS lost Saturday evening, Feb. 5th, aboard the theatre train out of Boston. Bags first missed at Lowell. Finder notify Isaac Blaine Stevens, Nashua, N. H., and receive reward.

PAIR AMETHYST ROSARY BEADS lost Sunday morning between 15 Barrington st. and Sacred Heart church. Return to 15 Barrington st.

SPECIAL NOTICE

MADAM MAY, trance medium; if in trouble come and see her, 73 John st., Room 5.

ASTROLOGY—Send dime and birthdate for reliable test to Plato, Box 182, Buffalo, N. Y.

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FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Inquire at the Royal, 25 Westford st.

6-ROOM UPPER TENEMENT, modern, to let; pantry, bath, coal and woodshed on the same floor at 716 Gorham st. Rent $20.

ROOMS for light housekeeping, also single rooms to let; steam heat, hot and cold water. 57 Lawrence st.

BARN AND GARAGE to let. Apply 46 Waugh st.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping to let; 28 Fourth st., reasonable rent. Inquire 18 Fourth st.

BARN AND GARAGE to let. Apply 26 Waugh st.

LARGE FRONT ROOM to let, steam heat and electric light; also rooms for light housekeeping at 75 East Merrimack st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT bath and gas, $2.50 per week. 212 Chelmsford st. Inquire J. Silverblatt, 190 Chelmsford st. Tel. 4259-W.

STEAM-HEATED ROOMS with electricity. Prices $1.50 to $4. Big square rooms for couples. Prices $2 to $4, to let. Lane house, cor. Central and Church sts.

ROOMS to let for light housekeeping, Theatrical hotel, 136-138 Paige st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let. Apply for key at 180 A st.

4 and 5-TON TRUCK to let by day or hour. P. Cogger. Tel. 2070.

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STOCK SALESMAN, experienced, with clean record, for a 10 per cent preferred stock in banking institution, leads, co-operation and large commission for a man who measures up to our standard, state qualifications and record in first letter, at once. Integrity Finance Co., 1301 Finance Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

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VICTROLA talking machine, cabinet style, wanted; will pay cash for same. State lowest cash price. J-61, Sun office.

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FURNISHINGS for a 6-room house, including garden hose and tools, also hens and pigeons, for sale. James Matthew, 161 Jewett st.

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Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
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6.23	7.26	6.00	7.12
7.45	7.56	7.35	8.28
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Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.33	7.36	z6.35	8.21
10.58	12.03	10.45	11.53
5.14pm	6.45	3.25	4.40
7.12	8.25	5.14	6.13
9.30	11.01	6.55	8.20
		9.20	11.12

Sunday Trains Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.29	4.42
3.40	4.46	5.10	6.43
5.41	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.35	10.05		

Sunday Trains Southern Division

6.45	7.59	8.45	9.53
7.22	8.10	9.30	10.11
8.25	9.35	1.00	2.03
9.19	10.12	5.30	6.26
10.20	11.17	7.15	8.20
2.52	3.35	8.00	8.41
5.08	6.00	8.30	9.13
8.20	9.05	9.25	10.25
8.30	10.00	10.35	11.44
9.45	10.40		

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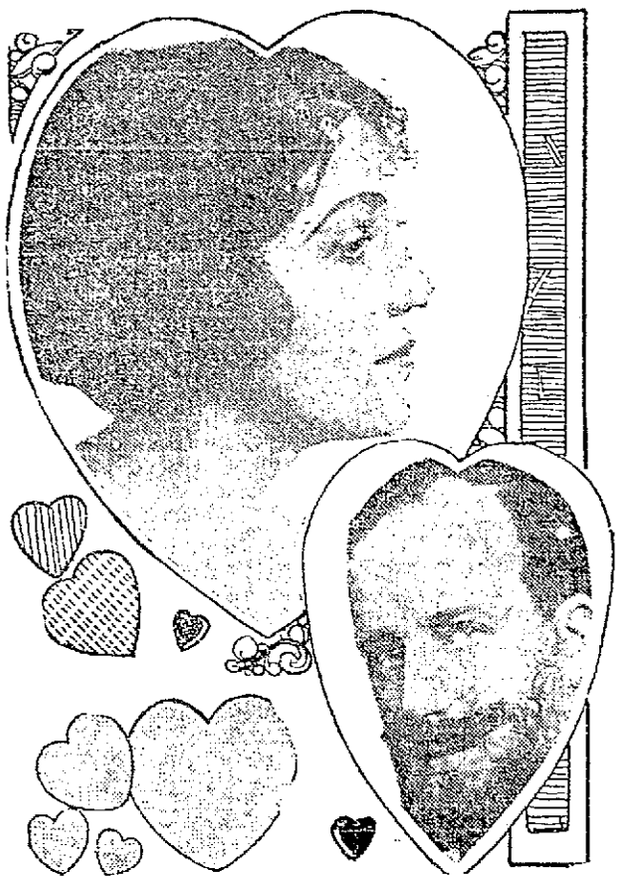
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday of Next Week

Biggest Picture of Its Kind Ever Shown Here

No Advance in Prices

Cupid Lights Hearts of Artists With Genius' Flame!



These married lovers are artists—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graveure. Mrs. Graveure is a singer and sculptor. They have been married three years and declare love inspires art!

BY BETTY BROWN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—When two hearts beat as one, artistic creative ability is doubled. The actor, singer, painter or sculptor should call Cupid to aid if he or she would produce the best work.

I have found two artists here who believe that their artistic output has been doubled by their marriage. They are Louis Graveure, the well-known young baritone, and Eleanor Painter, the soprano who created a sensational success in "The Lilac Domino," and who is starring in the dramatic field as the singing heroine of "The Climax," and have been married three years.

"To say that artists should not marry is all wrong. Of all the people in the world, the artist is the one that is most in need of the tie that strengthens and reassures," said Eleanor Painter.

"The peace of mind and assurance which comes from a happy marriage makes it possible for the artist to accomplish almost twice as much as before," said Louis Graveure.

"For the concert artist or actress whose engagements take them almost daily before the public, it is worse than deadly to have the sense of the sterility of life which every now and then accosts the average mortal," said Mrs. Graveure. "The artist, man or woman, must be forever creative—a self-starting dynamo."

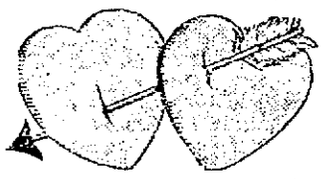
"Of course the creative artist, more than anyone else," she continued, "should be extremely careful whom she marries. The same holds good for the man.

"For instance, say that a prima donna marries a most estimable man, with many virtues, but with, let's say, an irritating way of breaking his eggs in the morning. According to every law of temperament, that prima donna's day will be utterly spoiled. You see, it is the little things as well as the big ones that count.

"But to say that artists should not marry is absurd. The creative mind is oftenest found in a simple, child-like nature, and such a person needs a companion, balancer, protector, anchor, adorer, lover—in short, the right husband. The reason I am so happy and so successful in my work is that in Mr. Graveure I have found just the right life-partner."

"Yes," broke in Mr. Graveure, "Eleanor is my inspiration. She is the one who kept after me until I wrote my book on singing methods; it is she who encourages me in my sculpture work; she is the first one to congratulate me upon any achievement—and although I do not believe in reading criticisms of my concert performance the morning after, my wife reads them and quotes the best of them to me. The peace of mind makes it possible for the artist to accomplish double work. As to the improved quality of the output, everybody knows that happiness always leads toward better work."

IMPORTED VALENTINES!



BY MARGUERITE EDWARDS

Real, live valentines from abroad!

No lace paper and Cupid missives—but honest-to-goodness sweethearts are these charming valentines that have already reached New York,—and more are coming on every home-bound troop transport!

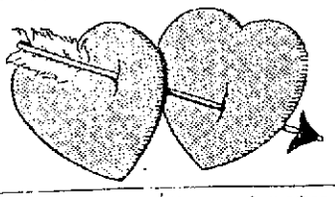
Yankee heroes selected these live valentines in London, "tucked them into their pockets" and brought them home for delivery on the family doorstep on or about February 14!

At the upper right is Lieut. E. F. Meister, of Buffalo, and his valentine, a former Essex girl. Lieut. Meister was an officer in the American medical corps and won his bride in a three months' courtship.

Below Cupid's Meister trophy are Lieutenant Carlos B. Stephens, of Chicago, and his bride, formerly Miss Elsie Gertrude Tooley, of London.

The choicest valentine of all is William Lewis, Jr., small cupid son of Private and Mrs. William Lewis, of New York. Lewis served in the British and American armies and wears the French croix de guerre and a British medal. Lewis met his wife when she nursed him in an English convalescent hospital.

At the lower left are Lieut. and Mrs. Roth. Lieut. Roth lives in Pontiac, Ill. His bride was Miss Mary Baines, of London.



RE-KINDLE LOVE'S FIRES ON ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

BY THE REV. CHARLES STELZE

Make St. Valentine's Day a time for rekindling the candles of love.

There isn't another holiday on which this may be done more naturally.

You know it's just as easy to cut cookies heart shaped as round, and there's lots more fun doing it.

St. Valentine's Day may be made a happy day for everyone—young folks as well as old—but those who need the love-tokens which the day suggests more than anybody else are the middle-aged—those who are becoming pessimistic about life and love because they imagine they've fairly tried it all and been disappointed.

Say wife—suppose you put up the old-time valentine decorations. You know what and how. And if it doesn't start something, I'll be surprised. Maybe it will begin with a jolly from your husband—but hold your ground, and be a regular old-time "valentine girl." And say, husband—send her the finest valentine you can afford—and you'll be rewarded with a look in her eyes that will remind you of the days when you said "my dear" to her without batting an eyelash.

What a pity that you're both permitting embittered people to crowd love out of your lives!

St. Valentine's day will give you the chance to rekindle the flame that died down for lack of fuel.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

Letter Carriers Welcome Callers at Lowell Homes—Valentines From France

Lowell's letter carriers were burdened more than usual today and there seemed to be more than customary expectation when the doorbell tinkled or the office boy divided up the morning mail among a number of anticipative souls. For today was Valentine's day.

Yes, sir, the postal men had extra work this morning and afternoon, and it was interesting to see how they went about it. That young fellow who recently passed the civil service exam and only a short time ago donned his postal uniform is stepping along in a happy, energetic stride. It is a pleasure for him to deliver valentines and he isn't bashful about showing it. The answer is that he's probably expecting one himself.

Then there is the older gentry of postmen. They've been doing "valentine duty" for, lo, these many years, and they have come to look on it in much the same mundane light that they foresee the coming of Christmas—only the added weight of their mail bags. Valentine day is an old story to them and as they give a blushing maid or sparkling-eyed boy in the eagerly awaited missive they grin sophisticatedly and wonder how long the person in question will continue to receive or send valentines. Cynics that they are, they give only a few years as a liberal estimate.

Valentine day is a day for youth and as such it was observed by Lowell young people today. The stores had an exceptionally pretty assortment of affectionate missives and the coarser kind were very rare. There was an unusually large display of dainty cards, lacy creations bearing verses of love and sentiment and other cards for young and old.

Some of the stores advocated the sending of dainty gifts in heart-shaped silver pieces and others showed handkerchiefs, gloves and neckwear as appropriate valentine gifts. Florists got up pretty combinations and even thrift stamps were advanced as wholly fitting exchange tokens.

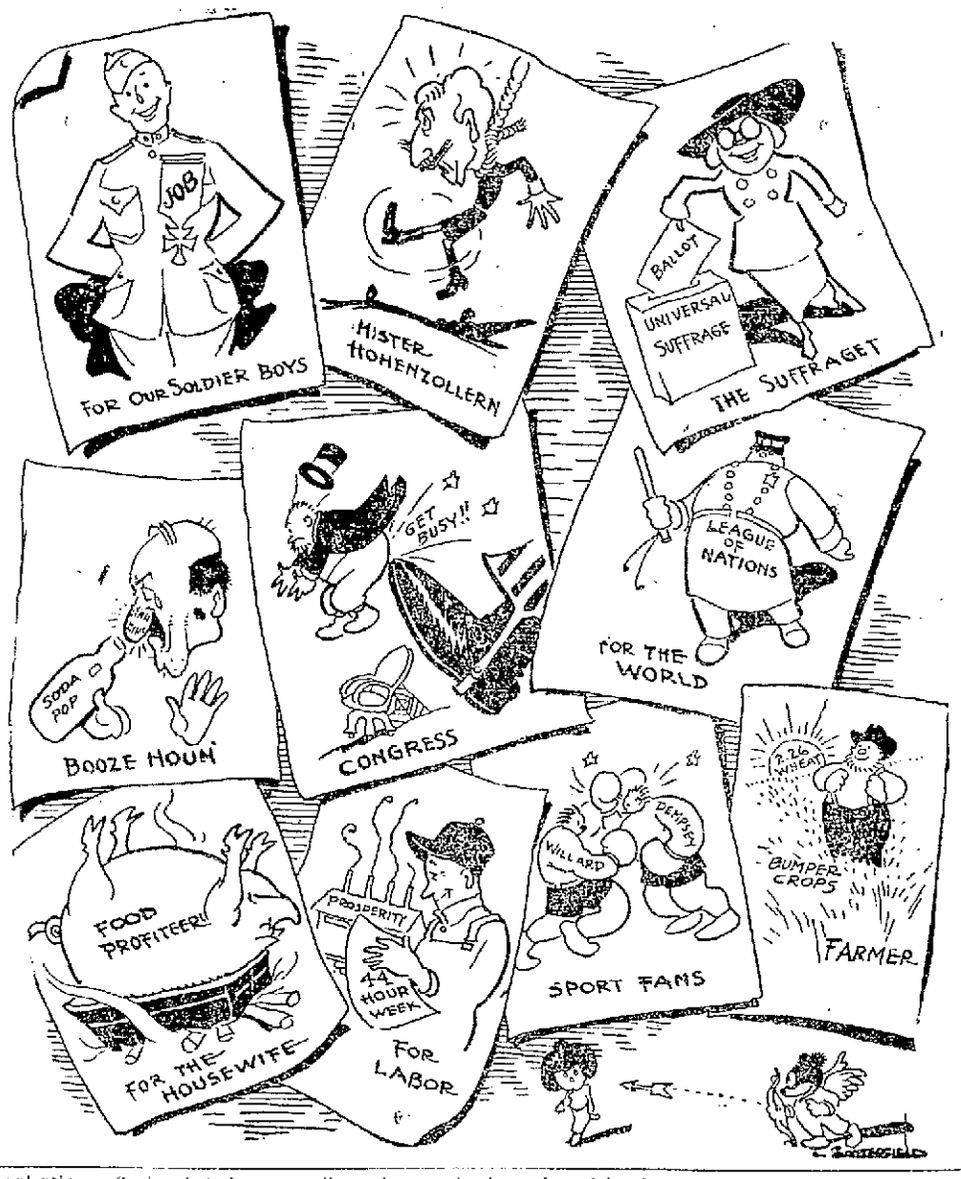
From all appearances, Friend Weather Man didn't get a valentine or else it was delayed in transmission. He didn't smile at all today and so deep was his grief and disappointment at certain stages that he became lachrymose.

Perhaps some of the happiest valentines in the whole city to doting mothers, wives and sweethearts were rugged soldiers and sailors just returned from overseas or one of the training camps. Their mere presence and safety was the only expression of sentiment that was needed to kindle many a feminine heart.

A few of the schools, particularly the kindergarten and primary grades, had informal observances of the day incorporated as part of their regular school work but there was no special program.

Private parties were held in many homes last evening and designated as Valentine affairs, while others will be staged this evening.

SCRAMBLED VALENTINES



Bub's Valentine

TRANSCRIBED by EDMUND VANCE COOKE

DEAR PA; -
UNLESS SOME ONE HAS WIRED
YOU UP, I BET YOUL BE SURPRISED
TO GET THIS NOTE FROM ME, DISGISED
LIKE A REAL LETTER
PLEASE PRETEND
IT IS AND READ IT TO THE END
CAUSE ITS FROM ME AND IME YOUR FRIEND

PA, YESTERDAY WHEN YOU WAS CROSS
AND BED I WAS A TOTAL LOSS
AND NO SAIN MAN COULD STAND MY SOSS,
I FELT SO BAD I WENT OUTSIDE
AND ONE BOY SAID YOU WAS A SNIDE
AND YOU JUST BET I LAMMED HIS HIDE

PA SOMETIMES, IF YOU ONLY COULD
TALK TO ME MORE LIKE I WAS GOOD
I BELEEVE IDE TRY TO BE AND WOULD.

SOMETIMES I WISH THAT YOU COULD SEE
IM JUST LIKE WHAT I USET TO BE
CAUSE THEN YOUD TAKE ME ON YOUR KNEE
LIKE YOU DO SISTER YET, THOUGH SHE
IS LONGER IN THE LEGS THAN ME

I BET YOUL THINK I GOT A DINE,
BUT PA THIS IS A VALENTINE
BECAUSE I WANT YOU TO BE MINE
YOURS TRULY
(I DONT NEED TO SIGN)

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BY J. E. CONANT & CO.....Auctioneers
OFFICE LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS

NEW AND LATE TYPE MACHINE TOOLS

On Thursday the twentieth day of February nineteen hundred and nineteen we shall sell to the highest bona fide bidders at unrestricted and unprotected public sale the following new and late type machine tools and mechanical equipment: twenty-seven screw cutting engine and flat turret and bench precision lathes; seventeen universal and die and plain and Lincoln type milling machines; seventeen universal and cutter-pod and vertical and die and surface and disc emery grinding machines; six friction and crank shaping machines; sixteen high speed-ball bearing multiple spindle and bench sensitive drills and upright drills; three iron planers; six combination floor and bench punch-presses; vertical profiling and die filing machines; hand screw machine; seven Racine and Millers Falls hack saws; squaring and slitting shears; seven oil and gas and electric pressed steel or cast iron movable furnaces; eighty-eight lots small hand tools; thousand pounds leather belting; also two motors, arbor press, electric fans, thirty-four mechanic's bench vises, nineteen surface and bench plates, and considerable more that is attractive. The foregoing combined sales include the **Production Department** of the Marine Engineering Company Elkins Street South Boston and the **War Plant** of the Excel Manufacturing Company Sherman Street Charlestown. The sale will take place upon the respective premises regardless of any condition of the weather commencing promptly at half-past ten o'clock forenoon and follow the order set forth in descriptive twenty-four page catalogue which may be had upon application at the office of the Auctioneers where all inquiries must be made. By order of F. W. Brigham Treasurer and John H. Waterhouse.

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To show that the American people are behind a League of Nations, subscribe to the League to Enforce Peace and the League of Free Nations Association, for which William Howard Taft and others are speaking.

Make out a check for any amount you wish to give to help the publicity and to show that you want the president and the peace committee to be backed up and send it to Mr. Harvey S. Chase, 84 State street, Boston, Mass.

FOR THE NEAR EAST RELIEF FUND

Team reports next Monday noon at Memorial hall.

Who has "Pm-thru-enza?" Better get cured quick. We have much to do yet and must do it. No one can say "Pm through" yet.

The Armenians and those in the Near East cannot be left to perish. We have a right to be thankful, but we ought to show it by helping others and here is a cause we are all asked to help and all must help to put Lowell "over the top."

Make checks payable to W. W. Cleworth, Treasurer, and hand in for your parish team.